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Hotels, Saloons, &c.

PHILLIPS' HOTEL!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

Refitted and Refurnished Throughout!

MR. PHILLIPS, who has had much experience in the above line of business, as the Proprietor of one of the first Hotels in Mariposa, has made preparations for the wants of the traveling community at his Hotel.

An excellent TABLE, under the supervision of his Lady—and the best of BEDS and FURNISHED ROOMS, always to be had.

Polite attention will always be given, and charges reasonable.

Mariposa, March 18, 1856. m21tf

THE "YOSEMITE HOTEL,"

[FORMERLY THE "SOUTHERN."]

HAVING RECENTLY BEEN RE-FITTED AND re-furnished, is now in order for the reception and entertainment of the public. augsif

UNION HOUSE!

FRANK WILLIAMS.....PROPRIETOR.

On 5th Street, next Building to the "Old Fremont" Adobe, on the corner of 5th and Main Streets.

MARIPOSA.

THE undersigned, formerly of the "Franklin House," has opened a Hotel under the above name and location.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR FAMILIES,
PRIVATE PARLORS, AND ROOMS,
A GOOD TABLE AND BEDS,

and assiduous attention from the Proprietor and others connected with the House.

This Hotel is in a retired and pleasant place, free from the noise, confusion, and dust of Main street.

Attached to this establishment is a good STABLE where animals will be well attended to.

FRANK WILLIAMS.
sep20 tf

COULTER'S HOTEL.

Coulterville, Mariposa County.

G. W. COULTER.....PROPRIETOR.

WOULD respectfully inform the public that he has made such additions and improvements to his Hotel as the increase of travel and patronage has demanded.

Persons visiting Coulterville, can here find excellent accommodations—a Good Table—Good Beds, and polite attention.

A Stable is attached to the Hotel, under the charge of careful and attentive hostlers. Horses and Mules to let upon reasonable terms. m13-1y

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

Sansome street, between Commercial and Sacramento.

E. I. ARMSTRONG.....PROPRIETOR.

This House is fitted and furnished in a style inferior to none in the city of San Francisco. Accommodations of a superior discription, are afforded to all, whether transient visitors or regular boarders.

Particular attention will be given to the accommodation of Families, and no efforts will be spared to make this Hotel a home to all who may favor it with their patronage.

Assiduous and polite attention may be relied upon from all connected with the House, by its guests. d20-tf

CITY HOTEL,
COULTERVILLE.

GEORGE COUNTS, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is in comfortable order for the entertainment of the public. In connection with the Hotel is the large and

New Livery Stable

of Mr. Thomas Scott.

Careful attention will be given to the wants of both man and beast.

Coulterville, Sept. 4, 1856. s5-tf

LUMBER
..AT..
REDUCED PRICES!

J. C. LAMON & CO.,

BEAR CREEK,

HAVE ON HAND AT THEIR MILL, FOUR miles from Mariposa, a large lot of Assorted and Seasoned Lumber, which will be sold according to quality and quantity, at prices varying from

FIFTEEN TO THIRTY DOLLARS PER THOUSAND.

Orders are respectfully solicited, but it must be distinctly understood that credit cannot be given. We have determined to adopt the CASH system, and sell on the most reasonable terms.

Bear Creek, July 25, 1856. jy25-tf

NOTICE.

THE undersigned is prepared to take ANIMALS TO RANCH at a reasonable price. His place is situated on the head of Lyon's Gulch; the feed is good—no better can be found in this section of country, and the greatest care and attention will be paid to animals entrusted to his charge. All animals on said Ranch, after the first day of July, will be subject to Ranch fees.

B. W. HARWOOD.
Lyons' Gulch June 30, 1856. jy4-3m.

J. M. Strowbridge & Co.,

RETAILERS OF

CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS,
AND
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

No. 95, Corner of Sansome and Commercial Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.

Miscellaneous.

D. J. OULLAHAN

FREIGHTER AND FORWARDER,

Levee Street, Stockton.

ALL GOODS consigned to my care will be forwarded to their destination in any part of the Southern Mines, with despatch and correctness, at the lowest rates of freight, free of commissions or other extra charges. augl tf

N. B. Storage in a fire-proof building when required, FREE OF CHARGE. Good reference given.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Clark, Lamon & Co., are hereby notified that the due bills, notes and accounts of said Company have been placed in the hands of the subscriber for collection, and that a prompt settlement of all notes and accounts now due, is most earnestly desired.

R. B. LAMON.
Bear Creek, July 18th, 1856. jy18tf

STOVE DEPOT,
.... AND ....
TIN SHOP.

S. WORMSER, Proprietor.

Next door to Phillips' Hotel, Mariposa.

The proprietor keeps constantly on hand and for sale, a large assortment of

PARLOR & COOKING STOVES, Tin-Ware, Hard-Ware, &c.,

which he is prepared to dispose of at San Francisco prices. All kinds of

JOB WORK,

In the Tin, Copper, and Sheet-Iron

line, done to order at short notice, and in the best manner.

Call and examine for yourselves,
Mariposa, Jan. 10, 1856-tf

APOTHECARY
.... AND ....
DRUGGIST.

A. D. BOYCE, Agent.

Has constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of
Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shaker's Herbs and Extracts;
Thomsonian Medicines;

and in fact, all articles usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. jy12-tf

The Eyes! The Eyes!!

DR. E. H. PARDEE, OCULIST.

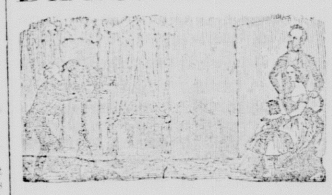
AFTER a protracted blindness of more than five years, DR. PARDEE has made himself thoroughly and scientifically acquainted with all disorders of the Eye, and is now practising, with universal success, the same treatment by which he was cured.

A WORD OF CAUTION—The Eye is by far too precious and delicate an organ to be trifled with or made the subject of random experiments; therefore it would be exceedingly unwise, and perhaps dangerous, to accept any of the "Never-Failing Cures" that are tendered by the mistaken kindness of all around, for every one offers a specific for diseases of the eye.

Many patients can be seen daily at the office of DR. PARDEE, in different stages of recovery.

OFFICE—San Francisco, west of the Plaza, opposite the Post office, one door north of the Portsmouth House, up stairs. sep1-tf

DR. HUBBELL & Co.,
DAGUERREANS



.... AND ....
DENTISTS!

First Door below Dr. Ward's Office, and nearly opposite Harris and Allison's Law Office, Mariposa.

THE above firm have erected a new building designed expressly for the above business.

DR. HUBBELL is well known as an experienced

DENTAL OPERATOR,

and will give particular attention to those in need of such services.

Dr. H. & Co. have also a room fitted for the purpos of taking

DAGUERREOTYPES.

They have a first rate Camera, and a LARGE SKY LIGHT, which is very necessary in taking good Pictures. The public will please call and examine for themselves.

Office hours from 9, A. M. until 4, P. M.
Mariposa, Nov. 10, 1855. tf.

To the Public.

The undersigned respectfully announces to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that he has opened a shop on

BULLION STREET,

For the purpose of carrying on the

Casting and Finishing Business.

BILLIARD BALLS will be turned, PUMPS fitted, and every thing connected with Machinery will be attend d to.

—ALSO—

WEATHER BOARDING and SIDING always on hand and for sale. d20 tf N. HASKELL.

NEW
BILLIARD SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED having commenced the above business in the fine and spacious new House lately erected on Main street, opposite the Southern Hotel, would respectfully solicit the patronage of their friends and the public generally in and about Mariposa, for which they guarantee the

BEST LIQUORS!
.... AND ....
Billiards upon the most Superb Tables

To be found in the Southern mines.

That an establishment of this kind, well arranged and splendidly fitted up, has long been a want in this section of the country, all are well aware, and it is now hoped from the comfort and elegance of our SALOON, and our long acquaintance in Mariposa county, that we will receive the encouragement of the public. BLUMENTHAL & NEWCOMB.

OUR BAR

is stocked with pure and choice LIQUORS, and the best HAVANA CIGARS. m16-tf

NOTICE TO TRAVELERS.
NEW ROAD!

THE undersigned respectfully announces to the traveling public, that his NEW ROAD, CUTTING OFF DISTANCE, ON THE MARIPOSA AND STOCKTON ROAD—running in a straight direction from Cunningham's old Ranch, down Green's gulch, crossing Bear creek, and intersecting Dr. Burkhalter's Road, near the Cow and Calf ranch. This road CUTS OFF ONE MILE OR UPWARDS, of distance, and gives the traveler an opportunity of passing over a good level and smooth road—and cutting off one of the worst portions of the road between Mariposa and Stockton. The subscriber respectfully solicits the patronage of the traveling public.

DAVID CUNNINGHAM.
Green's Gulch, July 18, 1856. jy18-1m

BALING ROPE, JUST RECEIVED, Ex Ship "Rambler," and for sale low by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
aug15tf Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

Stockton Advertisements.

EAGLE HOTEL!

EAST SIDE OF THE PUBLIC SQUARE CORNER OF SAN JOAQUIN AND MAIN STREETS,

STOCKTON.

THIS HOTEL, FOR CONVENIENCES OF every description, is unsurpassed in Stockton, having recently been REFITTED AND RE-FURNISHED, Customers and Boarders, whether transient or permanent, as well families may be assured of good accommodations, and polite attention from all concerned with the House.

C. A. MEAD, Proprietor.
Stockton, July 30, 1856. aug1tf.

STOCKTON
EYE INFIRMARY.

[ESTABLISHED 1856.]

Corner Main and Sutter streets, Stockton, Cal.,

J. H. BROCKWAY, M. D.
SURGEON,

PARTICULAR ATTENTION given to DISEASES OF THE EYE.

The most desperate and hopeless cases cured.

The design of this institution is to afford an Asylum for the Blind, where they can receive better treatment than at any other Institution in the United States. aug29-3m

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry and SILVER WARE.

J. & C. LING,

El Dorado St., Under Odd Fellow's Hall,

STOCKTON.

HAVING AGAIN REPLENISHED THEIR STOCK now offer to the citizens of Stockton and Vicinity, a superior selection of Goods in their line, consisting in part of

Heavy Gold Magic and Hunting Cased Patent Lever Watches.
Ladies' Superior Gold Hunting Cased and Enamelled Cased Detached Lever and Lepine Watches.
Heavy Silver Hunting Cased Patent and Detached Lever Watches, of the best manufacture.
Diamond Ear Rings and Drops.
Diamond Breast Pins and Finger Rings.
Ladies' Chatelains, Necklaces, Bracelets, Ear Rings, Broches and Lockets, of the latest patterns and finest quality.
California Rings, Buckles, Cane Heads, &c. of our own manufacture, of every style.
ALSO—A large assortment of finest quality New York made work. Gold Guard, Vest and Fob Chains, Keys, Seals, Spectacles, Thimbles, Pencils Pens, &c.
Silver Spoons, Forks, Butter Knives, Napkin Rings, Fish Knives, Card Cases, Thimbles, &c., all warranted equal to coin.
Plated Spoons, Forks, Butter Knives &c., of a very superior quality.
A large assortment of 15 Day, 8 Day and 30 hour Clocks.
Accordeons, Flutenas, Violin Strings, &c.
All our Goods we will sell at as low prices as the same quality of Goods can be purchased any where in the State.

Clocks, Watches and Jewelry repaired by the most competent workmen.

Diamond and California work made to order. aug1-tf.

STOCKTON
Foundry and Machine Works.

THESE WORKS are now in successful operation, and producing all kinds of Castings in general use, such as are required for Farming and Mining purposes; Horsepower and Separators; Wheels, &c. Also Horsepower for Irrigating and Mining; Gudgeons for Saw Mills, and Screws; Screw irons; Quartz Machinery. Also, on hand, a complete assortment of Cast Iron Sheaves, of all sizes, for chain or rope. Hay Press Fixtures. All kinds of Reaper Wheels and Castings, as well as Brass and Iron Boxes for same. Hubbs and Pipe Boxes; Car Wheels; a complete assortment constantly on hand, with Axles and Boxes, and Wheels without axles, ready at all times for axles to suit any track required. Car Wheels, from nine inches to nineteenand a half inches in diameter. Trucks for Flour Mills; Proof Staffs for Flour Mills. Wheels for arastresand Quartz Mills; Shoes for long Trucks; Castings for wind mills. Also, a complete assortment of patterns for plain and ornamental Columns, &c. for chief or one or two story brick building fronts. Pulleys of various sizes; Hoisting apparatus; Shafting made to order; Steam Cylinders bored out, &c. We are prepared to do all kinds of repairing machinery, either Lathe or plainer work.

Have also on hand Cast Iron Kettles, holdingseventy gallons, suitable for farmer's or butcher use.

The Works are daily accumulating the various new patterns that are required for general milling purposes.

For Sale.

One ten horse Steam Engine and Boiler with Barley Mill, if required.

Cash paid for old Cast Iron.

Having become the Proprietor of those Works, I am prepared to furnish Castings, &c. at the rate for cash that they can be produced for at San Francsco, with the difference of freight only.

R. G. HANNA.
Stockton, September 4, 1856. s6tf

E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Cassel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloths, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments; Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil; Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown; Prussian Blue Carmens, No. 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil, and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; Imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre; Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stone; Lotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pipes; Breast Pumps; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instriment for self injecting, (Maw's;) Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Pease; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights; Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethescopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters, the most approved; Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best patterns; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.
Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

STOCKTON
CITY MILLS!

Main Street, West End—established in 1850.

The undersigned confident—from their long experience in the milling business—of their ability to manufacture the best description of FLOUR, would invite the attention of parties wishing to purchase, to the established reputation their brand has acquired in the Southern Mines, and wherever introduced, for its purity and superior quality.

They would take this occasion to inform their friends and the public, that having added to the premises, a

FIRE PROOF BRICK STORE HOUSE,

40x80 feet, capable of storing 600 tons grain—improved and perfected the machinery of the mills, their increased conveniences enable them to confidently guarantee every sack of flour branded "*Stockton City Mills.*"

To Merchants and Farmers, they would add, that they continue to pay particular attention to grinding all kinds of grain. In conclusion, they would respectfully refer all those unacquainted with the Mills, to the principal Merchants of Stockton and the Southern Mines.

SPERRY & BALDWIN.

N. B. The Office has been removed to the New building, adjoining the Mill, where orders are solicited for

FLOUR, CORN MEAL, GROUND BARLEY, SHORTS, BRAN, &c.

jy26-tf S. & B.

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KISS MUSIC.

["When two pairs of affectionate lips are placed together to the intent of osculation, the noise educed is something like to the ensuing:—

'Epe st' weep'ts-e'e!'

and then the sound tapers off so softly and so musically, that no letters can do it justice."—*New York Knickerbocker.*]

Evening silence! not a sound,
Not a murmur from the breeze,
Not a cricket in the grass,
Not a rustle in the trees!
When at once a whisper fell,
Though no speaker I could see;
And a sound of music chirped,
'Epe st' weep'st-e'e!

Never flute so sweetly trilled,
Nor lute 'neath dainty finger tips.
'Twas the very wine of sound
Pressed from loving ruddy lips,
And it softly chirped again
Like a humming bird when he
"*Peeps*" in sucking at a flower:—
'Epe st' weep'ts-ee-e'-e!

Oh the music of a kiss!
Slow it burns in heart and veins,
How it drowns the very soul,
When 'tis heard and felt *again!*
Peach and apricot may hide
In the blossoms on the tree;
But what future bliss may lurk
In "*Epe st' weep'ts ee-e-e!*"

The Newspaper Press.

The laborer and the employer, the mechanic and the capitalist, the merchant and the man who lives on his interest, all acknowledge the power of the newspaper press, and consult its columns from day to day, with increased zeal. The influence of the newspaper is immense in this country, and no one who is a lover of rational liberty and a republican form of government, can wish it less. While the press is free as now, tyranny or oppression can never overcome our national manhood. The glory of this land, which is irradiating the whole earth, cannot be dimmed. And yet few newspapers in this country can live and become strong, without devoting a portion of their columns to advertisements. The rate of newspapers is so low among us, that the mere subscription price, without some other aid, will not sustain them. The ablest, most permanent, and most influential papers in this country, are those that are enabled, by yielding a portion of their columns to advertisements, to put a quota of the income from that source on to the paper itself, for its improvement—devoting that expense to it which its mere subscription price will not justify.

The writer's observation in this respect has been of long continuance, and the fact has commended itself to him very many times in the last twenty years, in the rise and fall of newspapers.

The press is the great palladium of our liberties, as sable, as the guardian of our liberties—addressing itself to thousands, where the living voice can reach but hundreds—how valuable is any mode by which it obtains strength and permanency. How important a duty it is to sustain it. How few think that in the communications which they make through the advertising columns of a newspaper—which in expense is but trifling, and returns with tenfold interest to the advertiser—how few indeed think that besides this pecuniary advantage, growing out of their liberal views, is the higher, nobler one, of strengthening the newspaper of their choice; of giving it a wider circulation, and more power to its efforts; of spreading it with more certainty and efficiency into the family circle: thus laying the foundation, in the youthful members of those circles, by imperceptible degrees, for good men and women—strengthening the patriotism and virtue of all, and blessing the state with those richest jewels, good citizens!

Bathing in the Dead Sea.

From a work recently published in England, the annexed extract on the buoyancy of the waters and the appearance of the Dead Sea is taken:

"Though in breadth not exceeding ten miles, the Dead Sea seems boundless to the eye when looking from north to south, and the murmur of waves, as they break on its flint-strewn shore, together with the lines of drift-wood and fragments of bitumen on the beach, give to its waters a resemblance to the ocean. Curious to experience the sensations of swimming in so strange a sea, I put to the test the accounts of the extreme buoyancy felt in it, and I was quickly convinced there was no exaggeration in what I had heard. I found the water almost tepid, and so strong that the chief difficulty was to keep sufficiently submerged, the feet starting up in the air at every vigorous stroke. When floating, half the body rose above the surface, and, with a pillow, one might have slept upon the water. After a time, the strangeness of the sensation in some measure disappeared, and on approaching the shore I carelessly dropped my feet to walk out—when lo! as if a bladder had been attached to each heel they flew upwards; the struggle to recover myself sent my head down, the vilely bitter and briny water, from which I had hitherto guarded my head, now rushed into my mouth, eyes, ears and nose, and for one horrible moment the only doubt I had was whether I was to be drowned or poisoned. Coming to the surface, however, I swam to land, making no further attempt to walk in deep water, which, I am inclined to believe, is almost impossible."—*Bost. Chron.*

THE INFLUENCE OF THE LONDON TIMES.—It may not be generaly known, says a cotemporary, that the leader of the *Times* is telegraphed every morning to all the principal towns in England; then written out in large letters and affixed to a bulletin board, and is placed in the public Exchange. At Glasgow, Liverpool, Manchester, and other towns of less commercial importance crowds of merchants, and others, may be seen early in the day reading this article.

A salute, fired by a French frigate at San Francisco on Monday was heard at San Jose, a distance of forty-five miles. The country people being alarmed at the noise, telegraphed to know if the town was bombarded.

Washington and his Family.

I had feasted my imagination, for several days, in the near prospect of a visit to Mount Vernon, the seat of Washington.—No pilgrim ever approached Mecca with deeper enthusiasm. I arrived there in the afternoon of January 23, 1785. I was the bearer of the letter from General Green, with another from Colonel Fitzgerald, one of the former aids of Washington; and also the books from Granville Sharp. Although assured that these credential's would secure me a respectful reception, I felt an unaccountable diffidence as I came into the presence of this great man. I found him at a table with Mrs. Washington and his private family, and was received in the native dignity, with that urbanity so peculiarly combined in the character of a soldier and eminent private gentleman.—He soon put me at ease, by unbending, in a free and affable conversation. The cautious reserve, which wisdom and policy dictated, whilst engaged in rearing the glorious fabric of our independence, was evidently the result of consummate prudence, and not characteristic of his nature. Although I had frequently seen him in the progress of the Revolution, and had corresponded with him from France, in '81 and '82, this was the first occasion on which I had contemplated him in his private relations. I observed a peculiarity in his smile, which seemed to illuminate his eye; his whole countenance beamed with intelligence, while it commanded confidence and respect. The gentleman who had accompanied me from Alexandria, left in the evening, and I remained alone in the society of Washington, for two of the richest days of my life. I saw him reaping the reward of his illustrious deeds, in the quiet shade of his beloved retirement. He was at the matured age of fifty-three. Alexander and Cæsar both died before they reached that period of life, and both had immortalized their names. How much stronger and nobler the claims of Washington to immortality? In the impulses of mad and selfish ambition, they acquired fame by wading to the conquest of the world through seas of blood. Washington, on the contrary, was parsimonious of the blood of his countrymen, and stood forth, the pure and virtuous champion of their rights, and formed for them (not himself) a mighty republic. To have communed with such a man in the bosom of his family, I shall always regard as one of the highest privileges, and most cherished incidents of my life. I found him kind and benignant in the domestic circle, revered and beloved by all around him; agreeably social, without ostentation; delighting in anecdote and adventures, without assumption; his domestic arrangements harmonious and systematic. His servants seemed to watch his eye, and to anticipate his every wish; hence a look was equivalent to a command. His servant Billy, the faithful companion of his [illegible] Smiling content animated and beamed in every countenance in his presence. The first evening I spent under the wing of his hospitality, we sat a full hour at table by ourselves, without the least interruption, after the family had retired. I was extremely oppressed by a severe cold and excessive coughing, contracted by the exposure of a harsh winter journey. He pressed me to use some remedies, but I declined doing so. As usual, after retiring, my coughing increased. When some time had elapsed, the door of my room was gently opened, and drawing my bed-curtains, to my astonishment, I beheld Washington himself, standing at my bed-side, with a bowl of hot tea in his hand. This little incident deserves to be recorded.—*Men and Times of the Revolution.*

Destruction of Moscow.

It was on the 16th of September, 1812. At midnight, Napoleon, in utter exhaustion of body and mind, retired to rest.—The gales of approaching winter shrieked portentously around the towers of the Kremlin. Suddenly the cry of "fire!" resounded through the streets. Far off in the east, immense volumes of billowy smoke, pierced with flame, were rolling up into the stormy sky. Loud explosions of bursting shells and upheaving mines scattered death and dismay around. Suddenly the thunders of an earthquake were heard in another direction. A score of buildings were thrown in the air. Flaming projectiles, of the most combustible and unquenchable material, were scattered in all directions, and a new volcano of smoke and flame commenced its ravages. Earthquake succeeded earthquake—volcano followed volcano. The demon of the storm seemed to exult in its high carnival of destruction. The flames were swept in all directions. A shower of fire descended upon all the dwellings and all the streets. Mines were sprung, shells burst, cannon were discharged, wagons of powder and magazines blew up, and in a few hours of indescribable confusion and dismay, the whole vast city was wrapped in one wild ocean of flames. The French soldiers shot the incendiaries, bayonetted them, tossed them into the flames, but still, like demons, they plied their work. —*Boston Gazette.*

BERNADOTTE.—Gen. Sir Alured Clarke was making a tour of pleasure on the continent, and arrived at Stockholm, when he wished to be presented to the King. A private audience was granted as a matter of course to the English general officer. When presented to Carl Johann, Sir Alured Clarke was very much astonished to find that the King of Sweden, instead of a formal reception, folded him in his arms, and kissed him on the check. He was confounded at this distinction, and more so when the King asked him if he could not recollect him. In this, as his memory was quite defective, he could only express his regrets. To which the King replied, "I am not surprised that you do not recognize in me the Corporal Bernadotte, who became your prisoner at Pondicherry, when you commanded the English army in India; to whom you showed the greatest kindness while in your power; and who now is most anxious to return the obligation in every way that may be agreeable to you during your stay in his dominions."

The yellow fever is raging at Charleston, S. C.

The Boquet and the Bible.

The day was a fine day, but an unexpected shower suddenly drove two or three little parties into the cottage for temporary shelter; a Bible and a boquet of flowers lay upon the table.

A shrewd-looking man, one of the company, approached the table—he was an infidel. He opened the Bible, and closed it again with a smile that was mingled with derision. He then took up the boquet. "This suits me best," said he, with an exulting air, "for it has no mysteries; I can understand it; its colors are fair, and its scent delightful." Saying this he pulled a flower from the boquet, and stuck it in his bosom.

A pause succeeded; but it was soon broken by an old gentleman, whose meek and mercy loving face was grateful to gaze on, and whose gray hair entitled him to respect. He had heard the observation of the infidel, and felt quite anxious to counteract its influence; advancing to the table, he also took up the boquet.

"How bounteous in this gift," said he "is the Father of Mercies. This boquet is delightful. How delicately formed are these beautiful flowers! How rich are their varied tints, and how sweet is the fragrance they exhale! But shall we forego the joy of inhaling their fragrance, and the delight of gazing upon their beauty, because we cannot explain the hidden mytsreies of their existence? We know not how dry, husky, unsightly seed, when sat in the ground, could start up into such glorious forms? We cannot tell how it is that from the same soil such different stems should spring, and on the same flower such varied tints appear, nor know we why some of the fairest and sweetest flowers should be thickely pointed with thorns. These things are mysterious; but if we wait till we can comprehend them, the flowers will fade away, for their life is short. Let us gaze, then, on their beauty, and inhale their fragrance while we may.

"And why should we not," continued he, putting down the boquet and taking up the Bible—"why should we not use the Word of God in the same way? This blessed book prompts us to all that is good, warns us against everything that is evil, and, amid the darkness of this bad world, points us to a brighter and better. Mysteries it has—deep and awful mysteries—which its almighty Author alone can explain; but shall we waste our short lives brooding over them, and neglect the greeatr part, which is quite plain, and overlook the manifold mercies it proffers for our acceptance? While the Holy Scriptures reprove us in error, guide us in difficulty, console us in sorrow, and support us in sickness and death, shall we undervalue and neglect them? Never, let us leave, then, the mysteries, both of providence and grace, till it shall please God to unravel them to our underwords both show that he is "The Wonderful!" gratefully place the glowing flowers of the boquet in our bosoms and the glorious consolations of the Bible in our hearts."

The Lexington (Mo.) *Express*, of a recent date, says:

The war in Kansas has been renewed by the invasion of the Territory by the infamous traitor, Lane, with an army of several hundred thieving and cowardly ragamuffins, who have robbed and destroyed every peaceable settlement of Pro-Slavery citizens. The results have been more sanguinary than any previously reported.

Gen. Smith has gone to Lecompton with thirteen hundred United States troops, for its defence. Private despatches state that he will not interfere in any contest between the Pro and Anti-Slavery parties, but will allow them to fight it out. He requires, however, that neither party shall destroy private property or burn the towns. With this restriction, he is willing both parties may "pitch in" and fight it out,

The militia of the Territory have been called out, and Gen. Richardson, with a command of several hundred men, has gone to the Northwestern part of the Territory for the purpose of cutting off the retreat of Lane, should he undertake to escape in that direction. Lane goes under the assumed name of "Col. Cook," and it is said that he has two thousand men now in the field, with a prospect of large reinforcements by the first of October.

Our friends in Kansas are all under arms, and Missourians are rallying to their assistance. Here in Lexington, not less than one hundred and fifty men have been raised, armed and mounted, and leave this morning for the seat of war. The three companies from this county are under the command of Capt. N. L. Boyce, Capt Jo C. Anderson, and Capt. H. M. Bledsoe, Jr. They take with them two pieces of cannon—one six and one eight-pounder.

The Liverpool *canard*, says the Philadelphia Bulletin, about the visit of Mr. Lowe to this country, as a special Ambassador to settle the Central American question, is now pretty effectually exploded. The State Department at Washington has received no notice of Mr. Lowe's appointment on such a mission, although he has now been nearly a fortnight in the country. The Central American question remains in the hands of Mr. Dallas and Lord Clarendon. The British Legation at Washington even continues closed, and we hear of no new Minister to be appointed.

The New Orleans *Delta* says that the revolutionary proceeding on the part of the House brought about the necessity of the President's calling an extra session of Congress, which promised for some days little better results than the one just closed. The operatives in the armories at Springfield, Pittsburgh and Harper's Ferry were discharged—some four or five hundred men in all. This measure brought fanaticism to reason, and the army bill, without the objectionable proviso, was passed, and Congress stands again adjourned.

Prentice said, in reference to a remark made about him: "The assertion is an unqualified lie, though made by a thoroughly qualified liar."

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INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS—NEUTRAL IN NOTHING.

L. A. HOLMES,
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

☞ "If there be those either North or South, who desire an Administration for the North as against the South, or the South against the North, they are not the men who should give their suffrages for me; for my own part, I know only my country, whole country, and nothing but my country!"—MILLARD FILLMORE.

AMERICAN NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT,

MILLARD FILLMORE,

OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,

ANDREW J. DONELSON,

OF TENNESSEE.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

BALIE PEYTON, of San Francisco.
J. S. PITZER, of Trinity.
R. N. WOOD, of Amador.
O. C. HALL, of Sierra.

FOR CONGRESS,

B. C. WHITMAN, OF SOLANO.
A. B. DIBBLE, OF NEVADA.

CLERK OF SUPREME COURT,

JOHN SKINKER, OF SACRAMENTO.

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

HENRY B. JANES, OF SAN FRANCISCO.

COUNTY TICKET,

For State Senate,

SAM BELL, OF MARIPOSA.

For Assembly,

SAMUEL L. KELLY, OF MERCED,
R. B. LAMON, OF MARIPOSA.

WEDNESAY MORNING::::::OCT. 8.

☞ RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—The Rev. Mr. SIMMONS will preach on Sunday next at Quartzburg.

The last Quarterly Meeting for the present Conference year, will commence at the Methodist Church in Mariposa, one week from next Saturday. Rev. Mr. BIGHAM, P. E., is expected to be present.

Democratic Disaffection.

There is no use in attempting to disguise the fact that a wide breach exists in the Democratic party in this State. It commenced with the struggle between Dr. Gwin and David C. Broderick for election to the U. S. Senate, and though, to a casual observer, the breach was apparently healed at the several elections last fall, and seemingly this the same strife exists as formerly, although not so apparent.—Both are yet candidates, and both are striving to secure the nomination and election of members of the Legislature, favorable [illegible] is inherent.—Dr. Gwin attends the State and other conventions in person, while Mr. Broderick depends upon his friends in the Legislative Districts to watch after his interests.

So far as the nominations were made at the State Convention, the former was the victor in securing men for candidates favorable to his aspirations. This was effected by dragooning, through his own and the influence of the federal officers in the State, the delegates of that convention. What the result is and may be, in the Legislative Districts, we have not the *data* at hand to determine. Suffice it to say, that the State nominations were, and are still, coldly received by the Northern, or Broderick democracy, and this flank of the party have now an opportunity of paying off those Gwinites who, on two occasions, have scratched the name of John Bigler. The democratic party in California is reduced to two factions, and we assert this without the fear of successful contradiction. It had last fall the elements of its own destruction, and they remain in the party yet. We mean, so far as our humble abilities will permit, to show up in a true light these leaders of the party who care not for the true interests of the people, and only flatter and wheedle them for personal aggrandisement. For this they cross plains, rivers and mountains, spend their money without stint, and would deceive the public, if possible, into the belief that they are the true apostles and exponents of great principles necessary to be adopted for the salvation of the country.

PARTY FROM YO HAMITE.—Rev. J. C. SIMMONS and Messrs. MANN, returned on last Wednesday from the Yo Hamite Falls. They report the trail as being in fine order. They met in the valley another party who came via Coulterville. Mr. Simmons says the "half had not been told him" in regard to the mingled beauty, grandeur and sublimity of the scenery. He represents the Falls, the Valley, and its surrounding scenery, as beyond description, and one of those wonders of nature which must be seen to be appreciated. Mr. Simmons preached on Sunday morning in the Valley—which makes the second sermon preached there. Rev. W. A. Scott of San Francisco, we believe preached the first.

FIRE.—A fire occurred on Tuesday morning, near Merrill's store, on Long Gulch, about three-fourths of a mile from town. A frame house and barn, belonging to Messrs. Alexander & Gober, were entirely consumed. A lot of provisions, two six shooters, blankets, and in fact everything about and in the house, at which a number of men lived, was destroyed. The origin of the fire is not known.

We have received Huching's California Magazine for October. It is unusually good.

Political Gatherings.

Hon. B. C. Whitman, Hon. Sam Bell, and Judge Marvin, addressed the people of French Camp, Fresno river, on last Friday evening. The attendance was small, as there are but few people in that locality.

Messrs. Whitman, Bell and Rhodes, addressed the people of Millerton and vicinity on Saturday evening. The attendance was good, and much enthusiasm was manifested. Judge O. M. Brown, of Millerton, taking a democratic view of affairs, replied to the above gentlemen in a speech of considerable length. The Judge is a young man of evident ability, and did all for his cause that could be expected, but both the cause and the Judge were overmatched. He was replied to by Whitman, and as nearly demolished as though he had been caught in a squat-trap set for a grizzly. Fillmore men are wide awake in this part of the county.

Messrs. Whitman and Bell, from Millerton went to Snelling's, the county seat of Merced county, at which place they will meet Col. Merritt, Democratic candidate for Senator, and Mr. Howard, of Merced county, candidate for the Assembly, assisted by H. G. Worthington, Esq., a somewhat noted advocate of democratic principles—*this year.*

Mr. Lamon will appear with Whitman and Bell in the advocacy of Fillmore and Donelson, and so the parties, in point of numbers, will be equally matched. The discussion came off last evening, when the respective parties tried titles. Mr. Whitman, from thence, will go to Tuolumne county.

He has effected much for the American party and for himself, in this vicinity, and to him, by the people here, is accorded the possession of ability equal to and deserving of the high position to which he aspires, combined with an unexceptionable character. We wish him success.

One of the weakest subterfuges and poorest pretexts used by the political opponents of Millard Fillmore, is, that he belongs to a sectional and proscriptive party. If a party, which extends North and South, East and West, be sectional, then the party to which Mr. Fillmore belongs is sectional. If a party which proscribes only those things, those parties, those principles which are hostile to the safety, welfare, perpetuity and glory of the Union be proscriptive, then is the party to which he belongs proscriptive. We look upon Millard Fillmore as the only true national candidate in the present Presidential canvass. He runs at the head of a party which seek to bring back among the people of the United States a good, old-fashioned, true-hearted American feeling, such as animated the heroes of the Revolution—such as lit up the souls of Clay, Jackson, Webster, and a host of his right, as his duty to God, to his country and the oppressed of all mankind, to place himself at the head of a party whose *great* aim is to gather the disordered and broken fragments of the American people under one banner. He unfurls not a banner with only the stars of the North, or only the stars of the South, upon it, but the "star spangled banner," with the whole 31 stars blazing upon it in all their united strength and glory. What will the United States be worth to herself or the rest of mankind, if the Union be dissolved? What foreigner would seek a country torn and bleeding from the hands of its own citizens? None, surely, who seek an asylum and a home, in all the beauty and sacredness of that good old English word.

Fillmore proscriptive! He proscribes no religious sect as a sect—no foreigner because a foreigner—but advocates those restrictions, those principles, and above all a revival of that American and Union-loving feeling and enthusiasm which our country so much needs in this most dangerous crisis.

We have had the privilege of taking the following political items from a private letter, recently received from New York.

"We have three parties here in considerable strength. Buchanan, Fillmore and Fremont, are all in the field. Each are backed by newspapers, many of which are subsidized. The people are in favor of Fillmore and Donelson, and feel sure of their capabilities of administration in these troublous times, when tried and conservative men are the men needed.

"Affairs are in a deplorable condition. Every report from Kansas strengthens the public determination to elect a man who knows how to administer the affairs of government, and to restore quiet to the country. You may set down New York as good for ten thousand majority for Fillmore and the Union.

"New England, I think, will give majorities for Fillmore. Many in that section of country begin to see the deception that the Fremont party have been using, and will discountenance and support them no longer. We hope California will be true. Eight weeks will tell the tale of whether the best man who has been offered for the last twenty years, as a candidate for the Presidency—who has been tried and *not* found wanting—shall, in this hour of our country's emergency, be discarded. God grant that all may vote intelligently and with conscientious conviction of *what is duty;* if they do, all will be well."

We are under obligations to Messrs. GARDNER and CONDON, Express agents, for the prompt delivery of California exchanges.

Also to our Agent, JACK METSON, for Sonora and Columbia papers last week, as also numerous other favors.

Senatorial Convention.

The Democratic Convention lately held in Mariposa to nominate a State Senator, exhibits the harmony which does not exist among the Democracy in this Senatorial District. Maj. McNeil who has served this District in the Senate for the last two years, with credit to himself and with great satisfaction to the people at large, without any desire on his part, was solicited by numerous friends to permit his name to go before the Convention for re-nomination. After much persusion he consented, and when the vote was taken it was discovered that the Convention was stocked in favor of S. A. Merritt, and a number of McNeil's pretended friends deserted him. The Democracy in this section reward their well tried and deserving public servants by treachery and ingratitude. Will the friends of this patriotic Texan submit to it?

Itinerants are again out—as will be seen by the letter of our correspondent *Mountaineer.* The people of Sherlock's have been the recipients of the labors of some of them. Judge Boyce, assisted by Mr. Sagendorf, Democratic strikers, appeared there on Saturday evening. Political darkness and fogs fled at their approach; Democracy was clothed in purple and fine linen, and dazzlingly illuminated we are told.

Judge Boyce, on Sunday, mounted an ass' colt, and departed southward, where we hear he is propagating Democratic doctrines with the zeal of an apostle.

TAKING WATER.—The Hon. G. H. Rhodes, however much his acquaintances may doubt it, is positively known to have recently taken water. A few days since while he was on a visit to Millerton, upon arriving at the river opposite the town, his fractious horse plunged into the stream to slake his thirst. The depth of the water and the unreliable quick sand beneath, deceived both rider and horse, and for a while there was a desperate struggle with the horse to keep his head above water, and the rider to keep on his stead. Both succeeded in regaining the bank from which they started in, amidst the shouts of spectators on both sides of the river.

MISSOURI.—Newland, the American candidate for Lieutenant Governor, is probably elected, notwithstanding the defeat of Ewing for Governor. The vote between Newland (American) and Jackson (anti-Benton Dem.) stands as follows: Newland, 40,053; Jackson, 29,616. This places Newland 437 ahead, with five small counties yet to hear from. If Polk has really beat Ewing as many votes as is claimed, there must necessarily have been some local cause operating against Ewing, not as the candidate of the American Party but as a man. If not, why should New- [illegible] from, and probably will be ahead when the remaining counties are reported.

MILLARD FILLMORE.—Geo. P. Morris, the veteran editor of the Home Journal, one of the most uncompromising old Hard Shell Democrats in New York, speaking of Mr. Fillmore, says:

"Whatever may be said of the principles of the party, (American,) there is no denying that they have selected a noble standard bearer. He is a man without reproach in his private relations, and a politician of disinterested patriotism. Although a self-made man, he is possessed of varied learning and profound skill in the science of statesmanship. More than all he has a sterling Roman firmness, and is an honest man—such as the country needs in these times. His indifference to political preferment is admirable shown in his absence from petty manœverings, on a tour of foreign travel, in which he is gathering knowledge for future usefulness to himself and country."

The California *American* thus takes off the *State Journal:*

THE NEWS AND THE STATE JOURNAL.—The *State Journal* is very wrothy because we wont believe *its* statements about the aspect of affairs in the Atlantic States. We consult reliable sources of information, of our one choosing, and beg to be excused from taking the *State Journal's* word for anything. It is somewhat amusing to see what a show of indignation that paper gets up at our alleged "misstatements surpassing in effrontery," &c., in relation to the news, when in the same article, in which it thus accuses us, it gives utterance to the most palpable falsehoods, with the coolest front imaginable. Truly, the Devil is a saint when occasion suits!

We copy the following from an exchange:

The State election in North Carolina does not turn upon the great issues pending between the American and Democratic parties. There are local issues in that State which, in great part, render this election no test of the condition of parties in reference to the Presidential contest.—It has been known for some time past that these *local* questions would produce the re-election of Governor Bragg. The American party have never contemplated any other result, but have insisted, and still insist, that Mr. Fillmore will carry the State. The editor of the American paper at Kingston, N. C., wrote to us, two weeks ago, as follows:

"We do not expect to elect our candidate for Governor. State issues will divide politics. The present incumbent is expected to be re-elected. Our "Free Suffrage" issue, and all that grows out of it, will contribute greatly to his success.—But that will be the end of Democratic victories. We shall carry the State for Fillmore. He is more popular than anybody else, with us."

We notice from exchanges that Hon. Thos. F. Marshall, formerly of Kentucky, has moved to Chicago, Ill., and taken the stump for Fremont. Also, that Ned Marshall, a brother of "Tom's," and recently of California, is in Ohio stumping the State for Fremont.

Fillmore's Prospects.

The signs of the times are more favorable than ever for the election of Millard Fillmore and A. J. Donelson. We are aware that the Democracy claim a majority for Buck and Breck in the several States whose election returns were received by the last steamer. It certainly seems to us that it requires an extra amount of assurance, *even for Democrats,* to claim for Buchanan any of the States lately heard from, save Arkansas. And to determine whether this is proof for "blowing," we refer every inquiring mind to the antecedents of Arkansas. How often before has she gone democratic? Is it any new thing? Can it be claimed as a democratic *gain* of a State?

It is now settled by sufficient evidence to determine every candid mind that, local issues, personal popularity or unpopularity of candidates, junction of wings and factions of different parties and fusion of votes from all sides of the house, have influenced and carried the elections in Missouri, Kentucky and North Carolina. We see in all this, no sign—no proof that these States will not yet vote, by a large majority, for Fillmore. On the other hand, we think, from the spirit of the press, from the numerous accounts of various public journals in these States, that there will be a fusion of the people for Fillmore and Donelson on the 4th of November next.

Sam Bell.

This gentleman, the peoples favorite for State Senator, is now canvassing this District with telling effect for himself and party. The success of the entire ticket, in this part of the State, is cheering and almost certain. Our Sam *has Merritt*—and is a dep toned *Bell* besides.

MR. CRITTENDEN, of Ky., introduced a bill in the Senate to amend the act of 1854, organizing the Territories of Nebraska and Kansas. The bill proposes to transfer the whole legislative power from the Legislature to the Governor and Judges of the Territory. The laws which they enact are to be transmitted by the Secretary of the Territory to the President of the United States, to be laid before Congress for their approval or disapproval.—Another section of the bill provides that the President have authority to employ any part of the army which he thinks proper in the Territory to maintain the authorty of the U. S., or of the laws in that Territory. Also to repel armed aggressions from without or within, and suppress or drive out any bands of armed men who appear in that Territory to the terror of the inhabitants and disturbance of the peace.

Hon. Rufus Choate, one of Massachusetts most able men, in a letter to a Whig committee in Maine, announces it as his intension to vote for Buchanan, and advises them to do the same. He calls the Republicans a geographical and sectional party, and can't vote for them. Neither can he vote for Fillmore, for some reasons which we have failed to discover. He is a miserable old ultra Whig, and is making a most miserable mistake in voting for an old Federal Democrat as is *Buck.*

JEWISH NEW YEAR.—The Jewish New-Year, was celebrated in San Francisco on Tuesday, Sept. 30th, by the Hebrews.—The ceremonies are said to have been very interesting, and some of them of a very novl character. Certainly the history of no people on earth is so remarkable as that of the Jews. Their antiquity, unlike other existing nations, is estimated, not by yeas, but centuries. While nation after natin of other races, and empire after empire of other people have rose, flourished, fell, and lost their nationality, the Jews still exist as a separate and distinct people. There is something in this fact which every candid mind must admit as wonderful if not miraculous. This fact is still more striking when we consider that they not only date from so remarkable an antiquity, but have been the object of singular vengeance, hatred, persecution and scorn, by powers and kingdoms both of the ancient and modern world.

The Morning *Globe* says: "The late instructions from Washington to Gen. Wool, merey require him to withdraw all military forces from other points on the Pacific coast that can possibly be withdrawn, for the protection of government buildings, at San Francisco, and protection of U. S. officers in discharge of their duties."

Such instructions might lead to a collision of the Vigilance Committee and United States forces, provided they refuse to deliver up U. S. arms in their possession, and resist arrests by U. S. officers and the decisions and adjudications of U. S. Courts, as they threatened to do in the trial of Durkee and Rand.

The "Fillmore *Ranger*" is the name of a new campaign paper, published at San Francisco, a neat, spicy and spunky sheet, advocating the noble and glorious cause of Fillmore and Donelson. It is published weekly, and edited by Frank B. Wilder, a gentleman with whom we are not personally acquainted, but consider the *Ranger* sufficient introduction of himself to ourselves.

NED MCGOWAN.—A Bay paper says we were shown a letter received by the steamer, by a gentlemen of this city, from a friend in whom we can place the utmost reliance, in which the letter informs him that Ned McGowan is actually in Philadelphia, having arrived there about the middle of August, and that he had been seen by the writer's mother, who knows his family well.

Latest from Nicaragua.

General Walker, when last heard from, was quietly resting at the city of Granada, prepared to resist any attack that might be made upon him. Nothing farther, however, had been heard of the intended invasion of Nicaragua by the other Central American States.

Hon. Pierre Soule has purchased a rancho in the country for $50,000.

Walker has levied a tax of $20 upon all liquor dealers.

Rev. Mr. Wheeler, late of Aspinwall, is now in Nicaragua as agent of the American Bible Society.

KANSAS.—The position of affairs in Kansas, certainly justify us in expecting news of great interest and importance.—The fact that Atchinson is at the head of troops, from 1500 to 2000, and Lane encamped at Leavenworth, with about the same number of Free Soilers, certainly looks ominous. The strong probabilities are, we will hear by the next steamer of "American blood shed by American hands." It will be a matter of interest to learn what part the Executive powers at Washington will take in the matter, since the army appropriation bill has passed both houses of Congress. It is rumored the President has ordered two regiments of volunteers to be raised for the seat of war—one from Kentucky, the other from Southern Illinois.

Whatever may be his intention or policy, we are led to believe from the late news that there will certainly be a meeting between Lane and Atchinson, before the present *vigorous* Administration can possibly interfere.

REWARD FOR TOM BELL.—The Grand Jury of Placer county recommend that a reward of one thousand dollars be offered by the county for the arrest and detention of Tom Bell, the highwayman. This redoubtable knight of the road is reported to have been seen in Hornitas, a few evenings since. Sundry suspicious characters have been noticed of late prowling around, one of whom is now in charge of citizens of this place on suspicion of gross imposture. The perpetrator of a foul and murderous attack, made several weeks ago, upon the person of Mr. Wilson, near Wild Goose Ranch, has not yet been discovered. We mention these items as the probabilities are that some of the banditts, of whose exploits we have read so much of late, may be in our county trying to 'find' something. All those liable to theft or robbery, had better be on their guard.—As for ourselves (individually) we have no treasures which can rust, or moth corrupt, or thieves break through and steal.

STOCK FROM THE PLAINS.—It is stated that there cannot be less than 10,000 head of cattle now on Carson river recruiting, prior to coming over the mountains. All the stock which has passed over the Placerville road is represented to have been in good order and condition. It is variously estimated that there will be from 60,000 to 80,000 head of cattle cross the Sierra Nevada mountains this year. Most of the emigrants coming in this season have had good luck in getting themselves and their stock through without much casualty.

THE CHARTER OAK.—The mania for *Oak Sticks* is as great now as it was for Hickory Sticks, in the times of Old Hickory, or for a clip of "Old Whitey's" mane in the time of Old Zack. The Hartford *Courant* says:

The interest felt all over our country, in the old Charter Oak of Connecticut, is evinced in the fact that the same morning the tree fell, there were applications to Mr. Stuart, from residents of Texas, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, (the President of Jefferson College in that State,) Minnesota, (for the Historical Society in that Territory,) for fragments of the tree to be preserved as sacred relics. One man applied for a piece for a cabinet of Natural History in San Francisco, and for a cane for Rev. Horace Bushnell of that State. Both his requests were complied with. It was estimated that a cord and a half of wood was carried off the morning the tree fell. Mr. Stuart, however, provided watchmen to see that undue liberties were not taken; and he had a guard about the tree all night long. The fate of this tree will be commemorated centuries hereafter. Old men bowed with age, begged a sprig in commemoration. They had heard the story of the tree in their childhood, and were saddened at its fall in their old age.

ARRIVALS.—Among the arrivals by the John L. Stephens on the 29th ult., we notice the names of Judge Heydenfelt of the Supreme Court; Judge Thompson, formerly of the Land Commission; ex-Governor McDougal, Senator Weller and Judge Ogier. Senator Weller was too unwell on the day of his arrival to receive the visits of his friends.

ROBERT POORE and JACK RILEY were on Sunday brought into town from Sonora and lodged in Jail, charged with robbing Chinamen on the Merced river. They are to be examined to-day before Justice Washburn.

The natives of Los Angeles have for the last two or three weeks been engaged in bull-fighting. One hundred men and forty beasts have been making sport for them by killing and wounding each other.

Gov. John McDougall was arrested on an indictment for election frauds, immediately after his arrival by the John. L. Stephens.

Somebody will loose a *Thomas Cat,* poco tiempo, if they don't induce him to spend his evenings at his place of residence and not come up to our office and provoke difficulties with a *male* specimen of the same tribe what we keep to set on to office bores, democrats, black republicans, and such like. If this notice is not regarded we shall not consider ourselves responsible for the early decease of the aforesaid Thomas Cat.

Our thanks are due Mr. J. W. SULLIVAN and the NOISY CARRIER, San Francisco, for files of Atlantic and European papers, periodicals, &c.

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE GAZETTE.

SHERLOCK'S, October 6, 1856.

Mr. Editor:—Great occasions are said to produce great men—and the Democratic Meeting here on Saturday evening last, shows that there are also "times and seasons" for little men. I refer to the respective small fry politicians who addressed an audience of Democrats and Americans on the evening "aforesaid." The ball was opened by Mr. Sagendorf, who after a few preliminary excuses, setting forth his inability, inexperience, &c., as a public speaker, proceeded to "*find* Mr. Buchanan," "*find* Mr. *Fillmore,*" and "*find* Mr. Fremont;" and he was still *finding* them when your obedient servant "took a check" and walked out for a little fresh air. I was gratified to learn that the gentleman finally succeeded in delivering his overcharged brain of its long pent-up thunder, in a very short space of time—that he felt greatly relieved, as did his audience when he "dried up." He was followed by Mr. Boyce, who after eulogising James Buchanan as a "tried statesman and *uncontaminated* Democrat," took a drink of water—spit on his hands—turned up his cuffs—and struck out from the shoulder at Know Nothingism. He applied to "this poor defunct party," all the choice epithets in the Democratic vocabulary—reiterated all the base slanders of its enemies, and after exhausting the English language for words to express his "pheelinx," coined a few "bran new" words of his own. He came down on Fillmore with a particular vengeance, saying that he was "*too much* of an Abolitionist—*too much* of the *Bill* Seward—*too much* of the *Jack* Hale—*too much* of the Horace Greely—*too much* of the *Tom* Corwin;" all very clear, of course—"clear as mud." He said that some evil disposed person had had the audacity to say that *he,* (Mr. Boyce,) was an Abolitionist. He appeared very indignant at this—and rolling up his eyes and stretching his right hand toward Heaven, gave utterance to the following very eloquent and *very* original passage: "May my right arm be palsied—may my heart cease to vibrate—may my mind forsake its tenement, when I become anything else but a Democrat!" A gentleman present remarked that "in case of *his mind forsaking its tenement,* there would be a *very small* tenement to let."

As all things must have an end, so did this long-winded address—and at its conclusion your informant became satisfied that real talent *never is* appreciated in California; or the speaker instead of stumping Mariposa County, would occupy a position equal with such men as *Jim* Brady, *Jack* Hale, *Bill* Seward, and other distinguished statesmen whose *abbreviated* names are as familiar to him as are Tom Dick and Harry to your friend

MOUNTAINEER.

SUPERVISOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of Mr. GREEN B. ABEL as a candidate for the office of Supervisor, for District No. 2, composed of Township No. 3, Mariposa County, at the ensuing election.

Mariposa, October 8, 1856. o8-te

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

ALFRED F. WASHBURN is a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace, for Township No. 3, Mariposa County, at the ensuing election.

Mariposa, Oct. 8, 1856.

MARRIED,

On Saturday evening last, at Quartzburg, by Maj. Gaines, J. P., Mr. H. BROMLEY, to Miss MARY ELLEN DEVORE, both of Agua Frio.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the copartnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Bruce & Co., in the Quartz business, is dissolved, this 2d day of October, 1856.

J. N. THOMAS,
o8 3t JOHN K. NORRIS.

FRESH ARRIVAL
....AT....
NEAL & M'GRANN'S.

JUST RECEIVED, a large assortment of Goods, consisting in part of FINE HAVANA SEGARS, *All the Choice Brands of Tobacco.*

Hardware, Cutlery, Wooden Ware, &c.

A LARGE LOT OF

Wall Paper, Camphine and Lamps, Files, Glue, Window Shades, Paint, Oils, White Lead, Turpentine, Glass, and Putty. Also a large lot of

PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES.

Also some the choicest

APPLES, GRAPES, PEARS, LEMONS, ORANGES, AND PEACHES,

Ever brought into this market.

☞ Call and examine. o1-tf.

NOTICE.

IF CHARLES A. ATKINSON, formerly of the New York Regiment, Capt. Nagley's Company, will call or send his address to the undersigned in Mariposa, he will hear of something to his advantage.

JAMES M. VANDYKE.
Octobrr 1, 1856. o1-tf

Plows! Plows!!

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Nor Wester, direct from the factory, a complete assortment of PLOWS, consisting in part of

Eagle, No. 1, B, with	cutter,	wheel,	and extra	points.
Eagle, " 2	"	"	"	"
Eagle, " 31	"	"	"	"
Eagle, " 35	"	"	"	"
Eagle, " 4	steel,	"	"	"
Eagle, " 8	steel,	"	"	"

All of our Plows are made to order, and are made from the best materials, with a view of meeting the wants of the California farmers. For sale at the very lowest prices by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Oct. 1-tf Stockton.

Premium Steel Plows.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Nor Wester, a few of the celebrated Eagle No. 4, Steel Plows, with wheel, cutter, and extra points, and Eagle No. 8 with wheel cutter, and extra points.

The above named plows have been manufactured expressly for our trade. The strength, durability, and lightness of draught, with the peculiar shape of the mould board, and extra points, make them the most desirable steel plow in the State. One look at them and you will be convinced.

Plow points of all kinds, for sale by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Oct. 1-tf Stockton.

Hay Cutters.

CYLENDER HAY, STRAW, AND STALK CUTTER. So great is the utility of cutting fodder for stock, that it can only be appreciated by those persons who have had experience in the business, many persons having observed the advantages of this mode of preparing fodder by a Cutter, when they had only one animal to feed. For sale by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
oc1-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

FANCY GOODS,
SMALL WARES, ETC.,
EX LATE ARRIVALS.

PORTE MONAIES; PLAYING CARDS; HORN Dressing Combs;

Shell Dressing Combs,	Pass Books,
India Rubber Combs,	Shot Pouches,
Ladies' Back Combs,	Percussion Caps,
Pocket Cutlery,	Gold and Silver Laces,
Scissors,	Gold and Silver Stars,
Bowie Knives,	Gold Scales,
Whalebones,	Gold Bags,
Perfumery,	Gauntlets,
Razors and Razor Strops,	Buck Gloves,
Tooth Brushes,	Elastic Belts,
Nail and Hair Brushes,	Dress Buttons,
Indian Beeds,	Letter Paper,

Laces, Embroideries, &c.

Ladies' Collars and Cuffs,	Taffita and Satin Ribbons,
White Goods,	Velvet Ribbons,
Linen Cambrics,	Bonnet Silks and Satins,
Linen Lawns,	Artificial Flowers,
Tarletons,	Feathers,
Ladies' Corsets;	Plain and Fig'd Cap Nets,
Hosiery,	Blonde Laces & Edgings,
Woollen Yarn,	Lace Mitts and Gloves,
Woollen Coats,	Silk and Lisle Gloves,
Knitting Cotton,	Cravats and Handker'fs,
Zephyr Wool,	Neck Ties,
Sewing Cotton,	Sewing Silk,
Marshall's Thread	Bonnet Ribbons, &c. &c.

A large and varied assortment of Fancy Goods, Trimmings, and Small Wares, all of which will be sold at the lowest market rates, by

JONES, TOBIN & CO.,
Importers and Jobbers,
N. E. corner Sansome and Sacramento streets,
sep24-2m San Francisco.

Mariposa Gazette.

Artesian Wells.

Artesian wells would be powerful agents in mining operations, and are already ministering to the convenience, success and beauty of agriculture and horticulture in some parts of this State. We extract the following from a correspondent of the Stockton *Argus:*

A recent trip through a considerable portion of the Santa Clara Valley, afforded us a favorable opportunity to witness the operation of the Artesian wells that form so great an object of attraction to travelers, and so important a feature in the successful farming for which the valley in the vicinity of San Jose has no equal. Jets of sparkling water rising in columns of eight or ten inches in diameter, are among the objects that first attract the eye of the traveler as he enters the town of San Jose — Nearly all of the farms along the road side, from Union City to Santa Clara, are supplied with these wells, most of which are in successful operation, throwing streams of water from a depth of from sixty to three hundred feet, forced above the tops of the pipes in proportion to the current of the stream below. In the garden of Mr. Bontemp, an Artesian well is in operation, which, for ten months past, has thrown a stream of most excellent water seven inches in diameter, from a depth of 260 feet, a height of twelve feet from the ground, giving a supply much too large for the purpose of irrigation, and rendering it necessary to lead off the surplus water by means of ditches. From the reservoir, water is conveyed through leaden pipes into every apartment of the house, thus affording convenience beyond value, enjoyed at no expense, and in the full satisfaction that there is no "let up" to the supply.

In most instances, water is reached by boring a depth of less than 100 feet, the expense of which is comparatively trifling. There are but few wells that possess a sufficient force of water to throw it any considerable distance above the pipe; but the supply is nevertheless incessant, whether it forces the water to any height, or merely turns it over the top of the pipe, as is the case with the greater number of them. Near the centre of the city, in the middle of a wide street, and fenced in by an iron railing, there is a public reservoir of water from an Artesian well, 300 feet deep, which is of incalculable value to the Mexican population who reside near it. The women visit it, and bear away burdens of water upon the head, reminding one of scenes in Oriental life.

THE COMING WINTER.—A writer in the Santa Cruz *Sentinel*—T., who is said to be Mr. A. S. Taylor, of Monterey, distinguished for his scientific researches in the natural history, climate, &c., of California, says the present is the driest season which has occurred in California since 1829, and gives the opinion of some of the oldest of the natives. An example of which opinion we give in the following:

"The ancient people about Monterey say that they feel in their old bones the signs of the dangerous quantities of water coming down in California during the winter of 1856—57. One pious old lady talking to us a few days ago, said: 'Do you know, Don Tinto, that I feel scared at what the rains and floods will do this winter. When I was a girl, I remember in Monterey the rain falling in such quantities as to make the greatest damage to the country, and caused great danger and distress to the Missions and people. I sometimes dream about it so much, that it wakes me from my sleep.' 'Well, Dona Amiga, don't alarm yourself,' we replied, 'the Americanos will help you out this year, water can't drown them, nor can fire burn them, and as you will be a passenger in their boat you won't get drowned out.'"

Political Items.

The Sierra *Citizen* speaking of the prospects of the different candidates for the Presidency in this State, says:

Now indeed does the work go bravely on! Every mail from the interior fills our table—and a large one it is, too—with the most cheerful intelligence in relation to our cause. We can scarcely open a paper that does not tell us of new Fillmore Clubs, or mention the fact that the people are moving forward, in some shape, to the support of our ticket. On the mountains and in the gulches, from one end to the other of our country the high banner is raised, upon which is displayed in letters so large that all who run may read—

Fremont for the North!
BUCHANAN FOR THE SOUTH!!
FILLMORE FOR THE UNION!!!

BUCHANAN'S NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN FACE.—As the Democracy profess to stand on the same platform, and to act in perfect concert on all questions, the unsophisticated will doubtless be surprised to see that they present very different faces on the slavery question at the South and North.

His Southern face is presented by the Vicksburg (Miss.) *Sentinel*, a zealous Buchanan organ thus:

"We dare and defy any one to point to a single vote that Mr. Buchanan ever gave during his Congressional career, involving the question of slavery, that was not on the side of the South and opposed to the Abolitionists."

That is certainly a very bold front for the South. Let us now see how his Northern friends exhibit him to the freesoilers. The Providence (Rhode Island) *Post*, as zealous a Buchanan organ as the Vicksburg *Sentinel*, introduces him to a New England public thus:

"Mr Buchanan never uttered a word in defence of slavery, or whispered a sentence in favor of its existence, or cast a vote which any honest man would construe into a wish to support the institution."

There, reader, you have his freesoil front. What think you of it, as compared with the Southern presentation.—They do not harmonize precisely—not altogether so well as the Southern Democracy seem to harmonize with the Van Burens and Buffalo platform men.

The old line Whigs of the State of New York assembled in Convention at Albany on the 14th of August. The following resolution amongst several others, tells their choice for President:

Resolved, we find a sure guarantee that in the election of Millard Fillmore, be quelled, harmony between the States restored, peace with foreign nations secured, and the interests of agriculture, commerce and manufactures promoted, and therefore we will labor unitedly and earnestly for his election.

MR. FILLMORE AT THE SOUTH.—The Hon. Humphrey Marshall, of Kentucky, spoke at an American meeting in New Brunswick, N. J., a few evenings since. We quote from his speech what he said respecting Mr. Fillmore's prospects in the South:

Mr. Marshall then alluded to the prospects and the chances in the South, for which he could knowingly speak. Ten Southern States he looked upon as certain for Fillmore. They were Kentucky, Missouri, Maryland, Tennessee—though here would probably be a strong fight—Florida, North Carolina, and Louisiana. Then he considered the probabilities—good for Virginia, fair for Arkansas—that there was a show for Alabama, and a very fair chance for Georgia.

FILLMORE IN MARYLAND.—The Baltimore American says:

"The majority for Mr. Fillmore in the State will undoubtedly be as large as that given for Mr. Clay. The Hartford Madisonian says that his majority in that county will not fall short of 1000, and the Cumberland Civilian promises not less than 200 majority in old Democratic Alleghany.

FREMONT'S BIOGRAPHY.—The Columbus Statesman, publishes the following as "Col. Fremont's Biography:"

"A husband without a wedding—a millionaire without a dollar—a statesman without a speech—a legislator almost without a vote—a military chieftain without a battle. Make room for Col. Fremont—the gentleman who is never in the right place at the right time.

The Vigilance Committee are to hold a public sale of the residue of their effects, among which is the monster gun.

Miscellaneous Items.

A DEFALCATION.—A dispatch from Washington states that intelligence has been received there of a very heavy defalcation on the part of a government officer in California. He is said to be a prominent member of the Vigilance Committee.

A large meeting of the citizens of Columbia, S. C., assembled on the evening of the 29th ult., to welcome Hon. P. S. Brooks. The Mayor presented a silver pitcher, cane, and other testimonials to Col. Brooks, who responded at length. Much enthusiasm prevailed.

The principal Kansas correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, it is reported, has been arraigned as a horse-thief! This will not abate, in the least, from the truthfulness of his future letters.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR CALIFORNIA.—The aggregate amount appropriated for the benefit of California, at the late session of Congress is said to be about $13,000,000.

INCREASING.—The gold fields of Australia are yielding at the rate of nearly $100,000,000 per annum, and the produce of the first three months of 1856 is nearly double that of the corresponding three months of 1855, being close upon 700,000 ounces.

A late French Journal speaks of a new religious sect sprung up in the United States, which it calls "*Adorateurs des Negres*," "Nigger-Worshipers."

THE EMPRESS EUGENE IN TROUBLE.—The London papers notice certain extraordinary statements that circulate in Paris respecting affairs at the Tuilleries and call on the Emperor to stop the calumny. The above paragraph no doubt alludes to some domestic troubles in the Imperial family, growing out of some improprieties alleged to have been committed by Eugenie during Napoleon's stay at Plombieres. Our readers may expect per next mail, rich developments.

THE END OF THE WORLD.—We see that a gentleman named Slavell, who is a follower of the Prophet Miller, has just issued an epistle to the hopeful few who are awaiting with exemplary patience for the end of all things, informing them that the affairs of this world are all to be settled at a period no farther distant than the thirteenth day of October. Politicians who are calculating on receiving an office in case their candidates are elected will please take notice.

The Texas Legislature passed resolutions endorsing the high moral character of Judge Terry, (who was at that time in the hands of the lawless mob in San Francisco,) and asking the interposition of the Federal Government in his behalf. A large public meeting was held in Galveston for the same purpose. The New Orleans *Delta* justly remarks: "Judge Terry may well feel proud of these marks of approbation and sympathy of his former fellow-citizens, and those who are presumed to know him best."

WASHINGTON CITY IN 1801.—One can scarcely credit the description of Washington City, as Mrs. John Adams found it in 1801:

"Here and there," she writes, "is a small cottage, without a glass window, interspersed among the forests, through which you travel for miles without seeing a human being. The house is upon a grand and superb scale—requiring about thirty servants to attend and keep it in order. I could content myself anywhere for three months; but, though surrounded by forests, can you believe that wood cannot be had, because people cannot be found to cut and cart it? The house is made habitable, but there is not a single apartment finished. We have not the least fence, yard, or other convenience without, and the great unfinished audience room I make a drying room, to hang up clothes in. It is a beautiful spot, capable of every improvement, and the more I view it, the more I am delighted with it."

"The great unfinished audience room," of which Mrs. Adams speaks, is the famous East Room of the White House.

Last Island, a favorite summer resort of many of the most wealthy and influential citizens of Louisiana, was totally submerged by the waters of the Gulf, the buildings all swept off, and from a hundred and fifty to two hundred human beings were buried in a watery grave.

Farmer's and Mechanic's Candidates.

DEBIAS BURCHARD announces himself as a candidate for the State Senate, from this Senatorial District, as the candidate of the Farmers and Mechanics. Mr. Burchard will address the people of the District at length and in full, upon all the various questions which agitate the public mind.

Spring Ranch, Oct. 8, 1856. o8-te

HIRAM K. MAGOON announces himself as a candidate for the Assembly, from Mariposa and Merced counties, as the candidate of the Farmers and Mechanics. Mr. Magoon will take occasion to meet the people upon the various issues of the day, and settle them satisfactory to the public mind in general. Spring Ranch, Oct. 8, 1856-te.

☞ MR. L. P. FISHER is our only authorized Agent in San Francisco, to receive Advertisements, receipt for the same, and to transact business generally for the Gazette Office, Iron Building, opposite Pacific Express Office, up-stairs.

☞ MR. THOMAS M. HESTON, Expressman between this place and Millerton, is our authorized Agent to receive Advertisements, Job Work, Subscriptions, or Monies intended for this Office.

☞ MR. JOHN E. METSON, Mail Carier between this place and Sonora, is authorized to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Gazette.

JOB PRINTING.—Every description of Job Printing, such as Cards, Bill Heads, Circulars, Handbills Law and Mercantile Blanks, etc., etc., executed in superior style at this office, at reasonable rates.

PIONEER
FURNITURE WAREROOMS.
Established 1850.
No. 115 and 117 California street, San Francisco
Cerner of K and Fourth streets, Sac. City.
Geo. O. Whitney & Co.
HAVE ON HAND
AND ARE CONSTANTLY RECEIVING BY EVERY ARRIVAL FROM
NEW YORK AND BOSTON,
Large additions to their already extensive Stock of
FURNITURE,
Which they offer at Wholesale and Retail at the Lowest Market Prices.
Our motto is QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.
The public are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Orders solicited from the country, to which particular attention is paid to suit in quality and price. sep24-3m.

New Advertisements.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.
FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,
VIA PANAMA.
DEPARTURE FROM VALLEJO STREET WHARF.
The favorite Steamship

GOLDEN AGE.
Will leave Vallejo Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA, ON MONDAY.....OCTOBER 20, 1856.
AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.
Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the Railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately
By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.
Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.
According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip; a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.
THROUGH TICKETS
Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.
☞ Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock midnight, previous to the day of sailing.
☞ No Merchandize freight will be received on board after 3 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.
For freight or passage, apply to
FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.
A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco. aug 1 tf.

Paper Hangings and Carpets!
JUST RECEIVED—Per late arrivals, by FRANK BAKER, 110 and 112 Clay street—
800 cases Paper Hangings, French and American, every variety;
6000 rolls French and American Borders;
300 ps Tapestry Velvet Carpet;
625 ps Tapestry Brussels Carpet;
250 ps Three Ply Carpet;
300 ps Superfine Ingrain Carpets;
350 ps Extra fine Ingrain Carpets;
200 ps Cotton and wool Carpets;
125 ps Stair Carpets, assorted;
275 ps Bay State Druggets;
800 ps Oil Cloths, assorted;
125 ps Silk Damask and Brocatelle;
300 ps Cotton and worsted Damask;
4000 pair Window shades;
375 pair Lace curtains;
750 pair Muslin Curtains;
8000 Cornices and Curtain bands;
325 dozen Matts, assorted;
Stair Rods, Table Covers, Gimps, Fringes, &c.
Wholesale and Retail, by
FRANK BAKER,
sep24-3m San Francisco, 110 and 112 Clay street.

[REMOVAL.]
Wholesale and Retail
DRY GOODS
— AND —
CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT,
MARIPOSA.
Cohen, Samuels & Co.,
Have Removed to their New Fire Proof Brick Building, a few Doors North of their old Store.

The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that we have opened and will always keep on hand a large assortment of
SILKS, EMBROIDERIES,
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDRENS'
SHOES, GAITERS AND SLIPPERS.
Also, a full assortment of finest and best
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS
And a good supply of
MINERS' CLOTHING:
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, which we offer for sale at the lowest market prices to those who will favor us with their patronage. We respectfully invite the Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Sore and examine our Goods before purchasing elsewhere, as it will be no trouble to show goods, so call and see. COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.
N. B. Gold Dust taken in exchange at the highest prices.
P. S. We have established a store at Agua Fio, where the same kind of goods will be sold, and the same advantages afforded to purchasers as in Mariposa. C. S. & Co. sep17-tf

READ'S
EXCHANGE, SALES,
.. AND ..
LIVERY STABLE!
MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE PROPRIETOR WOULD ANNOUCE that in addition to his former accommodations, he has leased the Stable recetly occupied by MANN & BROTHERS, and is prepared to accommodate the public in every respect.
Horses Bought and Sold,
HORSES KEPT BY THE DAY WEEK OR MONTH,
Horses to Let in any Number,
Many of which are suitable for Ladies' use.
☞ PARTIES FOR YO HAMITE VALLEY can be accommodated in every particular.
☞ THE STABLES are under the immediate supervision of the Proprietor, who will spare no pains to give satisfaction.
☞ THESE STABLES are situated near the Yo Hamite Hotel, and nearly opposite the Saloon of Blumenthal & Newcomb.
Mariposa, September 12, 1856. s12-tf.

IMPORTANT ARRIVAL
.... OF ....
RICH GOODS.
WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM SAN FRANCISCO, a large and well selected assortment of
FANCY GOODS, ETC.
Consisting, in part, of
Perfumery, Toilet Articles
FANCY AND PLAIN STATIONERY,
Late Music and Musical Instruments,
Standard Books, Rich and Plain Binding
NEW NOVELS.
ALSO,
CAMPHENE LAMPS,
AND CAMPHENE.
Fine Window Shades, Sash all Sizes.
And the Largest and Best Selected Stock of
PLAIN AND FANCY WALL PAPER
To be found in the Southern Mines.
Together with a New and Extensive assortment of
HARDWARE,
Builders' Materials, etc.,
HAVANA CIGARS, CHEWING TOBACCO, &C., &C.
All of which we will sell CHEAP FOR CASH.
sep 12-1m. N. COHN & CO.

F. AND A. M.
Mariposa Lodge No. 24.
REGULAR Meetings, the last Saturday before each full moon. SPECIAL Meetings, second Saturday thereafter.
m30-1y WM. A. KING, Secretary.

Legal Notices, etc.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an Execution issued out of the District Court, of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held in and for the County of Mariposa, and to me directed, against A. F. Washburn and John W. Thomas, for the sum of Two Hundred and Seventy-seven dollars and ten cents, with interest thereon at the rate of two and a half per cent per month, from the 31st day of March, 1856, until paid. I have levyed upon and will sell at Public Auction, on Tuesday the 14th of October, 1856, in front of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, all the right, title and interest of the defendant, A. F. Washburn, to the following property, to wit: A certain village Lot, situated, lying and being in the town of Mariposa, on the West corner of Bullion and Tenth Streets, and nearly opposite the Court House Square, measuring twenty five feet on Bullion Street, and one hundred and twenty feet on Tenth Street, being the same village Lot on which Fox & Shriver have erected a building for the defendant. All of which will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Execution.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff
of Ma.iposa County.
Mariposa, September 22, 1856. sep24-3t.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an Execution issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held in and for the county of Mariposa, and to me directed, against A. Powell, and in favor of Michael Harty for the sum of thirteen hundred and forty-four dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, from the third day of April 1851 until paid; and also for one hundred and forty-three dollars costs of suit, I have levyed upon and will sell at Public Auction, on Saturday the 6th day of September 1856, in front of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, all the right title, interest and claim of the said defendant, in and to the following property, to wit: A certain Land claim or Ranch, situated lying and being in the county of Mariposa, about one mile and a half from the town of Mariposa, known as Capt. Powell's Ranch, on Mormon Bar, together with Ditch and water privilege, on Stockton Creek, commencing at the mouth of McBride's gulch, on said creek, and conveying the water to said Ranch. Also, a mining claim and water ditch on the Mariposa creek, a short distance below the junction of the Mariposa and Stockton creeks, on or near Mormon Bar.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa, August 13th, 1856. au15-t

The above sale is postponed until Saturday the 13th day of September, 1856. By order of Plaintiff's Attorney.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa Sep. 6 1856. s12t.

The above sale is postponed until Saturday the 20th day of September, 1856. By order of Plaintiff's Attorney.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa, Sept. 13, 1856. s13-tf.

The above sale is postponed until Saturday the 27th day of September, 1856. By order of Plaintiff's Attorney.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa, September 20, 1856. sep24-1t.

The above sale is postponed until Saturday the 11th day of October, 1856. By order of Plaintiff's Attorney.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa, Sept. 27, 1856. oc4-2t.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the Estate of O. M. Dickinson, deceased, late of Merced county, to present the same to the undersigned, at his residence in Merced county, properly avouched, within ten months from the date hereof, or the same will be forever barred. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

W. W. JACKSON, Administrator
of the Estate of O. M. Dickinson, dec'd.
September 24 1856. sep24-4t.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Morris, Goodman & Co., in the Quartz Mining business, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

B. F. MORRIS.
MERRITT GOODMAN,
JOHN J. MARSHALL.
Whitlock's Creek, September 18th, 1856. s24-3t.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby form themselves in a Copartnership, under the name and style of Goodman, Diltz & Co., to continue until by mutual agreement dissolved; and will carry on the Quartz crushing business, at the Mill formerly owned and run by Goodman, Morris & Co., near the junction of Whitlock's and Sherlock's Creeks.

JOHN J. MARSHALL.
WILLIAM SNOOKS,
J. S. DILTZ,
MERRITT GOODMAN.
Whitlock's, Sept. 18, 1856. sep24-3t.

C. F. MACDERMOT, C. KERRINS. D. BRIEN.
Main Street, Mariposa, and Saxton's Creek,
Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of
MacDERMOT & CO.,
FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A
Wholesale and Retail Business in
Groceries and Provisions,

SUPERIOR OLD
Wines & Liquors,
of the choicest brands;
HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,
Clothing, Boots and Shoes;
DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;
MINING TOOLS, &c.,
AND A GENERAL
ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.
We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.
☞ QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS. ☜
Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.
Mariposa, July 4, 1856. jy4-tf

EL DORADO
FANCY DRINKING
.... AND ....
BILLIARD SALOON.
THE UNDERSIGNED, THANKFUL FOR PAST favors, begs leave to announce to his numerous friends and the public generally, that he has REFURNISHED AND RE-FITTED his LARGE AND SPACIOUS SALOON, in a beautiful and costly style—inferior to none in the State.
☞ He has also engaged the services of the well known and obliging Bar Keeper, J. F. MYERS, who is always ready and willing to oblige those who may favor him with a call.
☞ THE BAR contains the Choicest Brands of LIQUORS AND SEGARS.
LEROY VINING, Proprietor.
Mariposa, September 12, 1856. s12-tf

JOHN WINTER,
Commission Merchant,
67 California Street, between Front and Battery
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL,
Brewers' Soda, and Tanners'
Stock, Drugs, &c.,
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Also—"CHOICE HOPS" in Bales, Half Bales and Zinc.
☞ Orders from any part of the State promptly attended to. Prices given, and Samples sent—if desired, per return Express. au29 3m

LUMBER! LUMBER!!
WE the undersigned have leased the STEAM SAW-MILL, known as OWEN & CO.'S, *Situated in Mono, Four Miles from the Town of Mariposa.*
Where we are prepared to furnish Bills of all descriptions, and of the BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER, at the shortest notice.
☞ GOOD SEASONED LUMBER constantly on hand and for sale at the Mill, or at any place where a Wagon can go at reasonable rates.
☞ Terms, Cash—or Hay and Barley at Cash prices. SAMUEL L. HOGAN,
T. VAUGHN.
J. N. THOMAS, Agent. Sept. 12-tf

Miscellaneous.

TO THE PUBLIC!
YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED TO THE PRESENT PRICES OF GOODS, NOW SELLING BY
SULLIVAN & CO.,
Main Street, Mariposa.

WE have recently opened a branch of our house in SAN FRANCISCO, through which we now receive our supplies direct from
New York and Boston.
By this arrangement we are enabled to sell you goods at
SAN FRANCISCO COST,
Freight added. We would respectfully solicit you to give us a call, and examine our STOCK and PRICES, previous to purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell (FOR CASH) LOWER than any other House in this section of country.
P. S.—All orders entrusted to us, will be promptly attended to, and weights and measures guaranteed correct.
The same advantages are to be had at our Store at
COULTERSVILLE,
Maxwell's Creek.
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[ESTABLISHED IN 1849.]
QUARTZ SPECIMENS,
MIXED WITH GOLD,
ARE BOUGHT BY US AT FROM 5 TO 50 PER CENT ABOVE THE MINT VALUE.
WE ARE THE INVENTORS of the art of manufacturing QUARTZ JEWELRY, and our stock is the largest and richest in the State. Call on us, all you gentlemen who intend visiting San Francisco, you are welcome to examine our goods whether you come to purchase or not.
WE SELL WATCHES AND JEWELRY, finer and cheaper than any other California establishment, for the reason that one of our firm is always in Europe, having the best goods made to order, which he continues to forward by every steamer. And as we buy for cash, we can afford to sell at the lowest New York prices.
BARRETT & SHERWOOD,
☞ 135 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial, San Francisco.
N. B. Orders sent by Express, filled promptly. Particular attention to Watches sent us for repair. sep20-1m.

DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S
GRAND MEDICAL & SURGICAL INSTITUTE.
ARMORY HALL BUILDING,
Corner of Montgomery and Sacramento sts., San Francisco.
Established for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of quackery.
Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of Urinary Organs and Diseases of Women and Children would most respectfully inform the public of California that he has opened an Institute for the cure of Chronic Diseases of the lungs, liver, kidneys, digestive and genital organs, and all Private Diseases, viz: Syphilitic Ulcers, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, Seminal Weakness, and all the horrid consequences of self-abuse, and he hopes that his long experience and successful practice of many years will insure him a share of public patronage. By the practice of many years in Europe and the United States, and during the Hungarian War and campaigns, he is enabled to apply the most efficient and successful remedies against diseases of all kind. He uses no Mercury—charges moderate—treats his patients in a correct and honorable way—has references of unquestionable veracity from men of known respectability and high standing in society. All parties consulting him by letter, or otherwise, will receive the best and gentlest treatment and implicit
Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY is daily receiving applications from every part of this State and from Oregon and Washington Territories, for treatment of every form of disease, and there is not one who will come forward and express dissatisfaction; on the contrary, the Doctor is in daily receipt of letters expressive of gratitude and thankfulness, some of which are published below by permission.
A Tribute to Merited Worth.
☞ A TESTIMONIAL RICHLY MERITED.—The ingratitude of man to his fellow man is so often met with in life, that testimonials, prompted by the finer feelings of the heart, are oasis in the life of those who sacrifice their best days in philanthropic devotion to the alleviation of the ills of frail mortality. Empiricism floods the columns of our press with fraudulent and fictitious letters; singing peans to the worth of their own egotistical charlatanism. Below we append a letter from a worthy man, who, a brief period since, seemed destined to "shuffle off this mortal coil," who looked forward to his dissolution with that pleasure which only those weighed down by the heavy hand of disease can. Contrary to hope, the ability of a skillful physician has restored him to his former health. Relieved from his terrible situation, and impelled by gratitude, he makes known his case and remedial agent, and his statement is authenticated by a Notary Public. The demands of society imperiously command its publicity; and it is given more to warn the unwary than to sound the praises of a physician of whom scores of like cases can be cited:
CERTIFICATE.
The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly afflicted, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duty imposed upon the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy, and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear; my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self-distrust and want of confidence in others, the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.
With a view to guard the unfortunate from falling into the snares of incompetent quacks, I deem it my duty to offer this testimony to the merit and skill of Dr. Czapkay, and recommend him to all who may stand in need of medical advice, being assured, by my own experience, that under his care a radical and permanent cure will be effected. B. F. FILLMORE.
State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.]
Notary Public.
Letter from Portland Oregon.
DR. CZAPKAY—Sir—Your medicine has been taken according to directions. I feel a little weak yet; in every other way I am almost entirely recovered, and think in a short time I shall be as well as ever. Every body that knows me is wondering what made such a change, for some friends thought I had Consumption, and others said I was going crazy. Well I don't know but that they were both right, as I felt a good deal both ways, and thought that if I didn't die soon I would like to.
I am not troubled any more with emissions, and the pain in my head and back, and the weakness in my limbs have left me, and so has the dizziness, blushing and the wish always to be alone, I am not afraid to go in company now, and am not so easily scared as I used to be, when any little thing would set me trembling. I have been at work this week, which is the first I have done for six months, and the thought of it don't discourage me like it used to. Indeed, I feel like another man, and it is all owing to your medicine and advice. You may publish this if you want to. Yours, etc.
Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY—Dear Sir—I very much regret that I had not called upon you sooner, for I had been suffering many months, during which time I passed a miserable existence. When I called upon you a few weeks since, I had but little hope of being so speedily recovered. I cannot depict the suffering of mind which I endured, whilst my bodily infirmities made me a burthen to my friends. The confusion in my brain, timidity, the nervousness, when I would get the least excited or alarmed, the love of solitude, the want of appetite and weakness generally, but particularly of my limbs, have all disappeared, as have the nocturnal emissions, and the remains of an old disease that my folly had brought on me For all this I feel truly thankful to you; for your medicines and advice I am indebted for the restoration of my health. If you think any one would be benefitted by putting this letter in the papers, you are at liberty to do so. Believe me ever gratefully yours. ABRAHAM LORING.
☞ Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is at the corner of Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco, California. The Doctor offers free consultation, and asks no remuneration unless he effects a cure. Oct 1-3m

Miscellaneous.
JAS. M. VANDYKE,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
French Wines and Liquors,
☞ NEARLY OPPOSITE SOUTHERN HOTEL, ☜
MARIPOSA.
Has constantly on hand a large assortment of
PURE OLD FRENCH,
And other
Brandies, Wines; Ale, Porter,
And other Liquors.
HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,
Of the Choicest Brands;
All of which being selected with great care in San Francisco, will be found superior to any in market.
☞ The attention of the Medical Profession is called to his stock of FINE OLD COGNAC, PORT and SHERRY WINES, in bottles—an excellent article for invalids.
☞ Retail Dealers, and lovers of Good Liquors, are invited to call and examine for themselves. ap11-tf

LADIES' AND GENTLEMENS'
FURNISHING STORE.
GUARD & CO.
HAVE RECENTLY ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES IN A
NEW STORE,
At the Head of Main Street, opposite Methodist Church.
THEIR STOCK IS NEW AND FASHIONABLE,
Selected with reference to the tastes and wants of this market, and at
☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. ☜
Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere. Jy18-tf

GREAT REDUCTION
.... AT ....
Cohen, Samuels & Co's.
THE public are informed that from this date their entire stock is offered at a REDUCTION OF TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT from former prices—in order that they may remove to their New Fire-Proof Store with greater facility—and also, that they may be enabled to furnish their New Store throughout with a FRESH STOCK OF GOODS. The large lot of
DRY GOODS,
Ready Made Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c. &c.,
and everything in their line will positively be sold at
☞ A REDUCTION OF TWENTY FIVE PER CENT BELOW FORMER PRICES. ☜
The public are respectfully invited to call and examine. C. S. & CO.
Mariposa, June 27, 1856. je27-tf

REMOVAL.
B. OPPENHEIM & CO.
HAVE REMOVED TO
THEIR NEW BUILDING
ONE DOOR BELOW SMITH'S BEEF MARKET.
WE wish to inform our friends and the public in general that we have a very fine and complete assortment of
CLOTHING, FANCY AND STAPLE
DRY GOODS,
on hand, and will continually keep a large assortment of
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Valises, &c. &c.,
☞ All of which we will Sell at the LOWEST RATES.
Ladies going out shopping should call and examine our NEW STOCK OF SILKS AND EMBROIDERIES, lately received.
We have on hand a large assortment of TRUNKS, VALISES, CARPET BAGS &c. which we will sell at the lowest prices.
B. OPPENHEIM & CO.
Mariposa, Aug. 1, 1856. aug1tf

LIVERY STABLE!
HORNITAS.
WHITE & BLACK.

THE subscribers have recently erected a large and commodious Stable in a convenient and central location, and are prepared to accommodate the public in every particular relating to the above business.
HORSES TO LET.
☞ HORSES KEPT ANY TIME DESIRED. ☜
The Stable is under the personal superintendence of one of the members of the firm, and careful attention will at all times be given to business.
BLACK & WHITE, Proprietors.
N. B. In connection with the above business, we have a LUMBER YARD, where a variety of Lumber may always be found. We are also prepared to take contracts for building, furnishing materials, &c.
aug29-tf W. & B.

HORNITAS HOTEL!
HORNITAS, MARIPOSA COUNTY,
W. G. GOSS, Proprietor.
THIS HOTEL is now in excellent condition for the accommodation of Travelers. The TABLE will be spread with the best the market affords. The BAR stocked with the choicest of Liquors.
☞ A careful attention to the wants of guests will be given by all connected with the house.
Hornitas, August 28, 1856. au29-tf

FOR SALE OR TO RENT!
The "Traveller's Rest,"
SITUATED UPON THE STOCKTON AND MARIPOSA ROAD, about four and one-half miles from Mariposa Town.
Apply on the premises, or of the undersigned.
JOHNSON.
Sept. 5, 1856. s5tf

Coulterville Livery Stable.
THOMAS SCOTT, PROPRIETOR.

THIS STABLE has recently been built, and is complete in all its arrangements. An Hostler second to none, in charge; and who will give careful attention to animals left at this place. A large number of
Saddle Horses to Let.
☞ Parties going to Yo Hamite Valley may be sure of accommodation in this respect.
☞ STABLING for Horses at all times, and on reasonable terms. Sep5-tf

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT!
R. W. HAMMATT.
Located at the Head of Bear Valley.
Has on hand one of the largest stocks of all kinds of GOODS, in common use, in Mariposa County. An enumeration of kinds or prices is unnecessary, for all are assured that they can be supplied in every respect, at low rates.
To Miners, whether in companies or otherwise, who are buying large lot of Provisions, his attention is especially directed.
A large train of Pack Mules are always in readiness to pack Goods to any part of the River, or to other places accessible to animals.
He also has a LIVERY STABLE, and can supply good animals for traveling to those in want. jl7-tf

MARIPOSA BATH HOUSE
— AND —
SHAVING SALOON,
Opposite the Franklin House, Mariposa.
☞ REDUCTION OF PRICES! ☜
THE undersigned having had his house newly refitted and furnished, takes the present opportunity of returning thanks for the liberal patron

San Francisco and Miscellaneous Advertisements.

THE ELECTRO CHEMICAL BATHS,

OF DR. BOURNE,

Southeast Corner of Sansome and Commercial Streets, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel,

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

ARE affecting the most extraordinary CURES of Fever and Ague, Intermittent and other Fevers, Jaundice, Diseases of the Liver, Kidneys, the Genital and Urinary Organs, all Sexual Disorders, Paralysis, Neuralgia, including Tic Doloreux, Stiff Joints, and are also employed with astonishing success in

DISEASES OF THE EYE.

Also, all Indolent Ulcers, Tumors, Swellings Abscesses, Cancer of the Womb, all other affections of the Womb, and Cancerous affections generally, and Scrofula. These Baths seem to be Nature's own chosen medium for effecting cures where all other means would fail without them; and prove beyond the possibility of doubt, to all who take them, the iniquity of Medical practice, which poisons the human system by administering to it calomel, arsenic, lead, zinc, iron, antimony, quinine, iodide of potassa and a whole host of deadly drugs which remain in the system, and are EXTRACTED BY THESE BATHS.

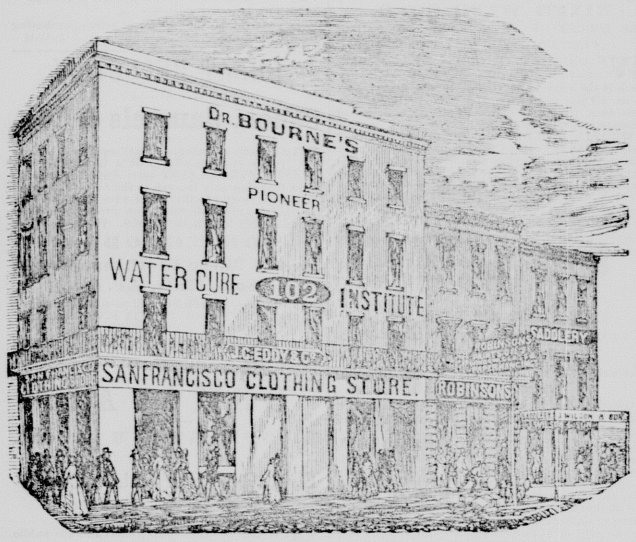
During nearly fifteen years I have never given even a solitary dose of oil or salts, much less any POISONOUS DRUGS, or herbs, and have never seen a case in which they were requisite if Water Treatment was employed. When will the people cease to be such simpletons as to hire men to POISON and BLEED them, while they also retain on their statute books laws against poisoning, maiming and bleeding CATTLE?. Are the members of the human family less worthy of protection than animals? I assert in the face of this entire State and the world at large, that there never was, is not now, and never will be, a case in which calomel, crude mercury, quinine, arsenic, lead, zinc, iron, antimony, iodine, or any other POISON, should have been, or be administered to the human system, or in which bleeding, cupping or leeching, was required; and further, that hundreds of thousands fill premature graves through an ill-timed or over dose of salts or oil. Let the people ponder on these things, and if the poor and deluded victims of medical rascality desire health, I pledge the honor of one man at least, that I will so employ NATURE'S AGENCIES of good food, air, pure water, exercise, clothing, the Electro Chemical Baths, and the sleeping and walking hours, that without a particle of NASTY and POISONOUS medicine, I will so arouse the powers of their systems that if there be any strength left they shall speedily get perfectly well in body, with minds so expanded to the perception of natural philosophy, as thereafter to cause them to set their faces against all professional rogues and fools, and awake them to a knowledge of the evils of entrusting their own vital interest to the keeping of others, whose interest must ever be antagonistic to their own.

Address, by letter or personally, Dr. BOURNE, Water Cure Physician, Sansome street, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel, San Francisco.† importer into this State of the FIRST and ONLY apparatus for giving these delightful and beneficial Electro Chemical Baths, and whose experience in their use warrants him in speaking of the in them terms he employs.—They require great caution in administering them, and Dr. Bourne never entrusts that duty to others, thus avoiding all danger.

So many lying and forged certificates, and PRETENDED editorial recommendations are published, that those truthful statements of facts which Dr. Bourne could offer, are withheld, rather than any should suppose they were merely "got up."

Consultations without charge, and charges very moderate for the benefits conferred.

QUICK CURE—SURE CURE.—(if curable)—is the motto of Dr. BOURNE.



PIONEER WATER CURE INSTITUTE,

Southeast Corner of Sansome and Commercial Streets, opposite the St. Nicholas Hotel, San Francisco.

DR. BOURNE, Water Cure Physician.

Having every facility for the scientific administration of Water Treatment, offers the advantages of this natural, rational, and most efficacious mode of curing diseases, to invalids, in either acute or chronic stages of suffering, and especially to those laboring under the RUINOUS EFFECTS OF CALOMEL, and Drug treatment generally.

There are no nauseous or poisonous medicines to swallow or pay for, as Dr. BOURNE does not administer any whatever, nor bleed, cup or leech; so it is not only the BEST but CHEAPEST system for restoration to health.

In Chronic or acute rheumatism, Diarrhœa, Dyspepsia, Fever and Ague, Isthmus Fever, ALL Nervous and Sexual disorders—in fact, in all cases, the WATER CURE is of unequaled value.

Apply personally, or address by letter, as above.

PARTICULAR NOTICE.

The "Russian," Digger Indian! Turkish, or Egyptian "Steam baths,"—the invention of barbaric minds—with all their RIPE CONSEQUENCES to Weak Lungs, Palpitating Hearts, and debilitated Digestive and Nutritive Organs, are NOT Water Cure, and bear no more relation to that glorious system than does a horse to a red herring, notwithstanding all the false representations to that effect. Dr. Bourne is the Pioneer, and only Water Cure Physician on the Pacific Coast, and is daily demonstrating his skill in his art with the highest success—curing those whom the medical fraternity had placed almost beyond the confines of hope; such being the general character of the cases demanding and receiving relief at his hands. Let them continue to come and be HEALED, and converted to this wiser and better way. s24 3m

4000 QR. SACKS OREGON FLOUR;
80,000 pounds No. 1 China Rice;
27,000 pounds No. 2 China Rice.
123 bbls Stuart's crushed sugar.
30,350 lbs No. 1 China Sugar:
78 firkins choice family Butter;
15 bbls Billings' Hams;
12 hhds dry salt hams;
75 sacks Java Coffee;
75 cases Rio Coffee;
50 cases ground Coffee;
40 chests black Tea;
50 chests green Tea;
10 chests choice family Tea;
128 cases claret, assorted brands;
75 cases superior Absenthe;
75 kegs East Boston Syrup;
12 cases Mary's own Tobacco;
10 cases Neptune Tobacco;
5 cases Know Nothing Tobacco;
10 cases Pride of the West;
20 cases ace of trumps;
40 bbls good old Whiskey;
27 8th cask Hennessy Brandy;
16 8th cask Otard, Dupuy & Co. do
6500 Havana and American Segars;
Just received and for sale by
SULLIVAN & CO.
Mariposa, July 18, 1856. jy18tf

NEW SADDLERY
.... AND ....
HARNESS SHOP.
M. GOODMAN, & CO.
Next Door to the Gun-Smith Shop of Goodman and Hubbell.

THE proprietors are prepared to execute every description of work in the above line of business. The best of leather for the manufacture of *HARNESS, SADDLE LEATHER, &c.* always on hand.

SADDLE TREES

of the most approved patterns, kept and for sale and will be fitted up to suit the taste of purchasers.

Every description of work in the above line will be carefully attended to at short notice, and at moderate charges. Nov. 15-tf.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!
AT PIONEER
STEAM SAW MILL,

TWO AND THREE-QUARTER MILES FROM THE STAGE ROAD, over the best Road leading to a Saw Mill in this county.

ALWAYS ON HAND at the LOWEST RATES, a full assortment of

DRY LUMBER

for Building, Mining and Fencing purposes.

Teams always at the Mill ready to deliver Lumber to any part of the County where there are Wagon Roads, at very low rates.

☞ BARLEY taken in exchange for Lumber at the Mariposa cash Market price.

WHITE, HATCH & Co.
By G. GREEN, Ag't.
Millville, August 15, 1856 au15 tf.

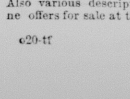
J. A. HENRY,
BUTCHER

And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
PROVISIONS, LIQUORS AND CLOTHING.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. Nov. 1-tf.

A. W. Jee's Store!

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.



THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, AND MINING TOOLS

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price.

ARTHUR W. JEE.
c20-tf Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek

Variety Store,
.... AND ....
OLD CURIOSITY SHOP!!
Main Street, Opposite Phillips' Hotel,
MARIPOSA.

Where can be found all sorts of useful and ornamental articles, not to be found in any other store in the County, consisting of the largest and best selected stock of

HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
BOOKS, STATIONERY,
GARDEN SEEDS,
FINE CUTLERY
WINDOW GLASS & SASH,
BUILDERS' MATERIALS, &c.,

ever offered for sale in this town.

—ALSO—

PRIME CHEWING TOBACCO, AND GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS,

received direct from a member of our firm now in Havana, who is constantly providing the best brands. Together with a fine assortment of

FANCY ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, LOOKING-GLASSES, WALL PAPER, HOLYDAY TOYS, PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, BRUSHES, BURNING FLUID, LAMP OIL, and MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

—ALSO—

Lamp Chimneys,	Shoe Knives,
Sand Paper,	Candlesticks,
Writing Paper,	Playing Cards,
Knives and Forks,	Butcher Knives,
Horse Combs and Brushes,	Screws and Hooks,
Brass Butts, Chisels,	Gaugers, Awls,
Saw Files, Latches,	Tap Borers, Gimblets,
Vansets, Files and Chisels,	Locks, Hasps, Staples,
Marking Gauges,	Screw Drivers,
Hammers, Compasses,	Pincers, Paper Cutters,
Dividers,	Butts.

And a thousand other articles, too numerous to mention, all of which we offer at *San Francisco Prices*, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, FOR CASH!

Call and be supplied.
jy12-tf N. COHN & CO.

GREISMAN & COHN, Cigar and Tobacco Store, Wholesale, 88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.—Stock received direct from Havana. July 12-tf

SADDLERY
ESTABLISHMENT
.... OF ....
Westfall & DeForris,
Main Street, Mariposa, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

HAVE on hand every discription of Saddlery, Harness, Bridles, Reins, Saddle-Trees, &c., manufactured. Material constantly on hand necessary to the manufacture of all articles in the above mentioned line of business.

Repairing done at short notice, and in the best manner.

They have also, on hand, a lot of Groceries, Preserved Meats, all of which will be sold low.
Mariposa, March 15th, 1856. m13-3m

GOODHAN & HUBBELL,
GUN-SMITHS.

At the old stand formerly occupied by J. N. Thomas, nearly opposite the Law Office of Harris & Allison, Mariposa

GUNS RE-STOCKED, REPAIRED IN EVERY PART AND IN THE BEST MANNER.

MR. GOODMAN will devote particular atention to the
Re-Cutting and Re-Sighting of Rifles,
and from much experience in this line he is enabled to guarantee satisfaction.

PISTOLS of every description, and SHOT GUNS repaired at short notice, and the work warranted.
Mariposa, Nov. 15, 1855. tf.

FOR SALE.

THE ENTIRE SODA FACTORY, situated in the town of Mariposa, together with everything complete and in good order, necessary to the conducting of the Soda business. A rare opportunity is offered to persons who may be desirous of engaging in the business, as great inducements will be offered. For full particulars enquire of
KRAFFT, HOWELL & CO.
Mariposa, August 29, 1856. au29 tf

Stockton Advertisements.

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
STOCKTON,
Corner of Main and Hunter Streets,

OFFER FOR SALE,

Ex Late Arrivals.

RAISINS, Layers and Bunch, wholes and hfs;
Raisins, Sultana, in drums;
Pepper, Ground in glass, superior quality;
Pepper, Grain in sacks;
Pickles, Cases, gherkins and mixed;
Mackerel, Half barrels, Nos. 1 and 2;
Mackerel, Kitts Nos. 1 and 2;
Codfish, Drums St. John;
Cordage, Assorted sizes Manilla;
Lard, 10lb. tins;
Pick Helves, Extra quality;
Dried Apples, Extra quality, fine sliced
Shot, Assorted sizes; Powder;
Hemp Twine, In balls, Cotton do;
Pie Fruit, Various brands;
Fresh Peaches, In glass and tin;
Dried Peaches, In kegs, superior quality;
Dried Plums, In kegs, superior quality;
Hand Axes, Collins' medium sizes;
Olive Oil, In cases;
Matches, Roundwood boxes;
Tubs, Extra article;
Safety Fuse, In barrels, water proof;
Cheese, In tins. aug15tf

Manilla Rope.

OF ALL SIZES—we are in constant receipt, direct from Boston, Rope of every description, from ¾ to 7 inches in circumference. We have the only complete assortment of Rope in this State, which we offer at the lowest Market price in lots to suit. HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29 tf Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.
N. B. We have our Rope manufactured to order, from superior materials.

Grain and Flour Sacks.

75,000 GRAIN AND FLOUR SACKS, For sale as low as any in the State, by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

Notice to Ox Teamsters.

YOU will find the best and cheapest OX YOKES and BOWS in the State, at HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

Dirt Barrows.

CANAL, Mining and Garden BARROWS, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

ROPE—Manila and Hemp Cordage, of all sizes, Also—Oakum, Blocks, Tar, Pitch, Rosin and Oakum for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS.
m13-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

Blocks and Sheaves.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex "Rambler," a large assortment of Blocks and Sheaves, consisting in part of as follows:

Patent Double and Single;
do do Iron strapped;
Common do;
do do Iron strapped;
Blocks and Sheaves for Hay Presses. For sale at San Francisco prices by
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au15tf. Corner Main and Hunter sts, Stockton.

Notice—Powder Magazine.

HEWLETT & COLLINS

ARE authorized to take charge of all POWDER landed in the city of Stockton, subject to be stored in accordance with the Ordinance of the city of Stockton.

Parties having Powder can have the same stored or taken charge of by leaving a notice at the store of HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

All kinds of Powder for sale at San Francisco prices—freight added. aug15tf

Saussage Cutters.

A FEW of the largest size Saussage Cutters, and Stuffers, with large fly wheel and cogs, for sale low by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

Hewlett & Collins.
Corner Main and Hunter Streets,
STOCKTON,

HAVE ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL AND MINING IMPLEMENTS; GROCERIES;
SHIP CHANDLERY;
PROVISIONS;
LIQUORS;
WINES;
CIGARS;
CLOTHING;

—AND ALL—

GOODS SUITED TO THE MINES.

Traders visiting this city for the purpose of purchasing, are respectfully solicited to call and examine their stock. They possess facilities which enables them to compete with any house in this city, in regard to price, and all goods purchased of them will be warranted.

Prompt and careful attention paid to orders, and goods forwarded without delay. m9-tf

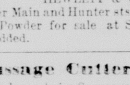
COAL! COAL! COAL!

THE SUBSCRIBERS have now on hand at HEWLETT & COLLINS' COAL YARD, on the Peninsula, near C. M. Weber's, STOVE and BLACKSMITH'S COAL, in casks and sacks. We are receiving Coal DIRECT from the CUMBERLAND MINES, which enables us to sell at San Francisco prices, with freight added.

Purchasers will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Orders must be left at the store on the corner of Main and Hunter streets, Stockton. m13tf HEWLETT & COLLINS

Charles P. Greenly & Co.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE,
Sheet and Bar Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools, Cumberland Coal, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.
CENTRE ST., (Near Adams & Co.'s Express Office,)
STOCKTON. j3-tf

Furniture and Bedding



MANUFACTORY & STORE.

CHARLES STURCKE begs leave to announce to his friends and the public, that he has established himself in the above line of business

On Main street, nearly opposite McNamara & Crippen's.

Where he is prepared to execute all orders that he may be favored with, at short notice, and in the most satisfactory manner.

A large assortment of FURNITURE and BEDDING will always be kept on hand.

Old Furniture repaired, upholstered and varnished, in a manner to renew the strength, and appearance, at reasonable prices.

Mattrasses and Pillows, of all sizes and qualities, Made to order. Also—Wood Carving done.

☞ BILLIARD TABLES repaired and leveled, and NEW CUSHIONS made to order.

The undersigned will endeavor to merit, and hopes to receive a share of the public patronage.
Most respectfully, CHARLES STURCKE.
Mariposa, March 6th 1856. tf

YO HAMITE.

THE ROAD TO YO HAMITE VALLEY BEING NOW finished, the undersigned would announce that they have obtained a Charter and a privilege of collecting Toll from the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County. Said Charter extends for the term of twenty years; and the rates of Toll established for the present are as follows:

FOR EACH MAN OR LADY MOUNTED, GOING AND RETURNING.....$4 00
FOR FOOTMEN, GOING AND RETURNING.....2 00

Animals can be obtained at our Stable, and the personal assistance of one of our firm, as a conductor at all times if desired.

MANN BROTHERS.
Mariposa, August 8, 1856. au8tf

A. M. GILLMAN, & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
WINES AND LIQUORS,
No. 82, Front Street, near corner of Clay Street,
SAN FRANCISCO.

J. E. RUGGLES, late of the firm of Ruggles & Nudd, Stockton, may be found at the above place.
San Francisco, July 22, 1856. jy25tf.

Miscellaneous.

DR. J. C. YOUNG
Corner of Montgomery and California sts. over Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office, San Francisco.

Is the pioneer advertising Physician of California, and the only one who received a Collegiate Medical Education, and is better qualified to treat, and has cured more cases of Private Disease than any other physician. For reference, see all of the papers throughout the State.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEBILITY, OR SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—DR. YOUNG addresses those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the back and limbs, pain in the head, dimness of sight, loss muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption, &c.

MENTALLY the fearful effects on the mind are more to be dreaded. Loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forbodings, aversion to society, self distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c. &c. are some of the evils produced.

All persons who are afflicted with any of the above symptoms should not fail to call on Dr. Young, and be at once restored to health. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourselves from the dreadful and awful consequences of this awful malady.

WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS
immediately cured, and full vigor restored.
Dr. J. C. YOUNG.
Cor. California and Montgomery sts, (up stairs.)

IMPORTANT TO MINERS, TRAVELERS, ETC.

THERE is no malady of deeper importance, either in a medical or moral point of view, to which the human family is more liable than that arising from impure connections.

As a Medical man it is the duty of every physician to look at disease as it affects health and life, and his sole object should be to mitigate, as far as lies in his power, the bodily suffering. Human nature at best is but frail, all are liable to misfortune.

Of all the ills that affect man, none are more terrible than those of a private nature. Dreadful as it is in the person who contracts it, frightful as are its ravages upon his constitution, ending frequently in destruction and a loathsome grave, it becomes of still greater importance when it is transmitted to innocent offspring. Such being the case how necessary it becomes that every one having the least reason to fear that they have contracted the disease, should attend to it at once by consulting some physician, whose respectability and education enables him to warrant a safe, speedy, and permanent cure, in accordance with this necessity, DR. YOUNG feels called upon to state that, by long study and extensive practice, he has become perfect master of all those diseases which come under the denomination of venereal, and having paid more attention to that one branch than any other physician in the United States, he feels himself better qualified to treat them.

Syphilis in all its forms, such as Ulcers, Swelling in the Groins, Ulcers in the Throat, Secondary Syphilis, Cutaneous Eruptions, Ulcerations, Tertiary syphilis, Syphilis in children, Mercurial Syphilitic Affections, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Strictures, False Passages, Inflamation of the Bladder and Prostrate Glands, Excoriations, Tumors, Postules, ects., are as familiar to him as the most common things of daily observation.

The Doctor effects a cure in recent cases in a few days, and finds no difficulty in curing those of long duration, without submitting the patient to such treatment as will draw upon him the slightest suspicion, or oblige him to neglect his business, whether within doors or without. The diet need not be changed, except in cases of severe inflamation. There are in California patients, (amounting to over two thousand in the past year,) that could furnish proof of this; but these are matters that require the nicest secrecy, which he always preserves.

All letters, enclosing $10, will be promptly attended to. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. Address J. C. YOUNG, M. D., Express Building,
Corner of Montgomery and California streets, over Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Department.

TO THE AFFLICTED—Persons troubled with disease should peruse the following Letters of Recommendations, from DR. J. C. YOUNG'S patients.—They are voluntary offerings of gratitude to him for benefits received, and are proofs strong as Holy Writ, of his scientific attainments. No one can read them without at once having confidence in him, and we confidently make the assertion that people afflicted with private or other diseases, will call upon him in preference to any other physician in the country.—Read them carefully, ye that need medical assistance, and then lose no time in consulting him while there is time left to cure you in.

MARYSVILLE, June 10th, 1855.

DR. J. C. YOUNG, DEAR SIR:—Please send me some of the medicines you prescribed in my case. I have a friend here who is troubled in exactly the same way that I was. He has nightly emissions, ringing noise in his head, weak back, loss of memory, and is generally debilitated; he is discouraged and has not confidence enough to enable him to call and see you. I told him how I was, and that you said all said I was in consumption, and the doctors up here gave me up, and advised me to go home and die, but instead of going home I called upon you, and here I am as well as any of them, and likely to live a long time yet, with strength enough to work with the strongest of them. Doctor I will send every one to you that looks to me as though he needed a physician. It shall not be my fault if any one dies for want of medical treatment. I will do all I can to keep the afflicted away from those pests of society, who, if the facts were known, are men who left their country for their country's good. Publish this letter Doctor, if you wish, and I hope that some of those that humbugged me may see it and sleep bad for one night.

Truly yours, GEO. DAVISON.

GRASS VALLEY, June 30, 1855.

DEAR SIR:—The last medicine you sent me has done the business. I am now perfectly well, and wish to give my testimony to the public in favor of your skill. I was troubled with a complication of diseases brought on by that soul destroying vice of self-pollution, and complaint caught by connection with bad persons of the opposite sex. I have been treated by some of the best physicians, as well as those quacks who infest this State, and by them all give up as incurable, but being advised by a friend who had been benefitted by your scientific treatment, to call upon you, I did so, and feel grateful to him for the information, but still more thankful to you for he care and good advice you gave me, as well as the ofications medicines you prescribed. If any of the illicted should see this, let them be sure that it is a voluntary offering in gratitude for the blessings of health received from you, and also given with a fervent wish that it may be of service to those sufferings s I did; and now may God bless you in your effort o lessen the sufferings of the human family, and me all good citizens assist you to drive from this community those leaches that prey upon the public by alse pretensions of eminence in the medical worl. Yours eternally.

JOHN BURGESS.
To Dr. J. C. Young, San Francisco.

PLACERVILLE, May 28, 1855.

DR. J. C. YOUNG—DEAR SIR:—Words cannot express the gratitude I feel is due to you for the benefit I have received from your truly invaluable course of treatment of my case while prescribing for me. I think I cannot justify myself without giving this small token of my thankfulness and esteem, for you have been the means of saving my life, and restoring to me that health which I had so long despaired of again enjoying. I had for a long time (four years) been troubled with that most dreadful scourge of young people, seminal weakness, or nocturnal emissions which so weakened me, by body and mind, that I was obliged to give up mining altogether. I consulted one of the best physicians, (so called,) in the mountain districts, and after a carsful examination of my case, he gave me medicines. I continued under his treatment for three months without receiving any benefit, in fact, I grew worse from week to week, until at last I got discouraged and left off for his opinion. I told him not to fear to tell me the whole truth, for I should rather know the worst at once, than to live in suspense. I had lost about thirty pounds of flesh, and knew that he at least could not cure me, and as I was then going on, death must soon count me as one of its victims. This physician then told me that my case was incurable; that I had better not take any more medicines. He said I was in a decline, which was fast tending to pulmonary consumption.

I then despaired of obtaining any relief, and saw that unless something was done to mitigate the complaint, that I should be numbered with the dead, or that is worse, be a raving maniac. Happening to see one of your books, the Pocket Æsculapius, I made up my mind at once to call and consult you with the determination of trying once more to get relief if you would undertake the case. Oh, how thankful I am for that determination! I commenced taking the medicines prescribed by you, and I am now, through their healing powers, restored to perfect health. I shall not fail to recommend you to any of my friends that require assistance, for a man that can cure a case as bad as mine was, can cure every disease that flesh is heir to, if there is life enough left in the system to build upon.

Receive my most sincere and heartfelt thanks and esteem. S. W. REIGHLEA.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20, 1855.

Dear Sir.—I have not had one single fit since I commenced taking your medicines; I am also gaining strength every day. The trouble that I had, which was the cause of the fits, is also leaving me very fast. In fact, I think I am entirely well, but if you think it best, I will take medicines a short time longer. It is only about two months since I commenced taking your prescriptions, and although you told me it would take from three to four months, yet I feel perfectly well already. I feel sorry that I did not visit you at first, and not allow myself to be led away by the vain boasting of those quacks that copy your style of business, and thereby impose upon the public. They despoiled me of my money, and if I had not stopped taking their vile stuff, they would have robbed me of my life also. Thanks to your superior medical skill, I am beyond danger, and I shall always consider you the savior of my life.

Dear Dr.—Publish this if you consider it worth your while, for I wish to proclaim to the world your worth, that every one who needs a physician may know where to call, and be sure of avoiding deceit and imposition. Yours, till death,

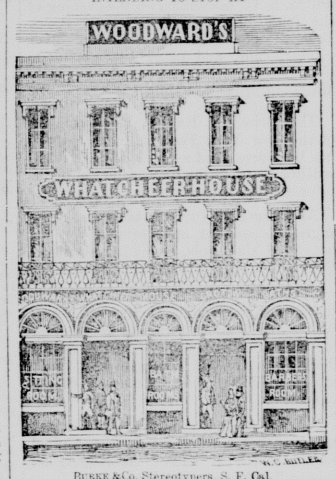
GEO MARSHAL.
To J. C. YOUNG, M. D. aug20-3m

San Francisco Advertisements.

Travelers Beware!

Of the impositions and tricks of Hack Drivers, Runners, &c.

ALL PERSONS ARRIVING IN SAN FRANCISO AND INTENDING TO STOP AT



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THE

"WHAT CHEER HOUSE,"

NOS. 119 AND 121 SACRAMENTO ST.

ARE CAUTIONED

TO BEWARE of the tricks and various impositions of Runners and Hack Drivers, representing themselves as being employed by the proprietor of the What Cheer House, thereby inducing the unwary to get into their carriage, by telling them that it belongs to the House, and is free; and afterwards extorting from them exorbitant prices.

Board:

Per day.....$1
" week.....6
Single Meals.....50 cts.

Lodgings:

Per Night.....50 cts., 75 cts., and $1 00
Per Week.....$2, $3, $4 and $6

BATHS FREE!

In addition to a large number of rooms having from two to three beds in each, there is also one hundred well finished and neatly furnished

SINGLE BED ROOMS,

The beds are fitted up with Springs, and the best of Curled Hair Mattrasses, thereby making the House one of the best in the City.

LODGINGS WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD—THE HOUSE IS OPEN ALL NIGHT.

N. N.—The What Cheer House sends to the Boats an express wagon, with the name of the House on it, for the purpose of
CARRYING PASSENGERS AND BAGGAGE FREE!

The proprietor wishes it understood that all others act without any authority from him.

R. B. WOODWARD, Proprietor.
San Francisco, Jan. 17, 1856. aug1-3m.

YE THAT SUFFER!

READ! READ!! READ!!!

DR. PAREIRAS

Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

It Never has Failed—It Cannot Fail to Cure.

THIS Invaluable Specific, first introduced into Pisa some *fifty years* since, soon became so well known as a *"certain cure,"* that in every town and city not only on the Continent, but in Great Britian they demand for it was *so great*, its merits *so astounding*, that in less than one year from its introduction, it had *supplanted* all other remedies. The Medical Faculty of the principal cities of Europe were compelled to acknowledge its wonderful *mastery* over disease.—Proprietors of other Medicines, jealous of its sway, vainly endeavored to stay its onward progress.—Like grass before the mower, their efforts fell to the ground; and like fire on the prairies, sweeping all before it, its onward march became *triumphant*. It stood forth upon its own merits; a discerning public saw, tried and was convinced of its *untold virtues*.—The massive fortune bequeathed by Dr. Pareira from the sale of it during the six years he prepared it, alone bore witness to its *miraculous merits*. At the decease of the Doctor, the recipe was bequeathed to his son, who has lately introduced the remedy into the United States. The number of *cures* it has already made are astonishing. *Thousands* and tens of thousands can bear testimony to its efficacy.

ALL WHO USE IT, IT WILL CURE,
With a safety, speed and certainty no other medicine has ever possessed.

RESORT TO NO QUACK NOSTRUMS.

Use a remedy that has been tried for the past *fifty years*, and was never known to fail.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

The extensive sale of this wonderful medicine has already caused some person or persons, to palm off upon the unsuspecting, a spurious compound closely resembling the original. Be particular to buy none without the written signature of A. Pareira, M. D. on the outside wrapper of each bottle. All others are counterfeit, and their compounders will be punished with the utmost rigor of the law.

Price Three Dollars per bottle. For sale by D Babcock, sole Agent for California, Oregon and the Sandwich Islands, to whom all orders must be addressed. A liberal discount made to wholesale dealers.

D. BABCOCK, Wholesale Druggist.
135 Clay street, San Francisco.

LIST OF AGENTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE:

A. D. Boyce, Druggist	Marysville.
Rice, Cobb & Co., "	Nevada.
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Benj. Shurtleff, Shasta Drug Store	Shasta.
Child & Worthen, Placerville Drug Store	Placerville.
Justin Gates, Jr.	Sacramento City.
Dr. R. W. Carr	Downieville.
Dr. John Lark	Nevada.
Dr. W. H. Gatliff	Yreka.
Dr. J. B. Winston	Los Angeles.
Whaly & Morse	San Diego.
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THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERVICES to the Merchants in the interior, as a commission buyer of Goods in San Francisco, having been engaged in the business for nearly three years past, with three years previous experience in the interior. He hopes to give satisfaction to such as may employ him in that capacity. Orders for any description of Merchandize filled and forwarded promptly.

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Up stairs, corner Battery and Sacramento sts.,
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E. G. HALL,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
BLANK BOOKS,
Staple and Fancy Stationery.
WRITING, PRINTING AND WRAPPING PAPER &C.,
Corner of Front and Commercial streets.
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SILVER-PLATED WARE.

VERY heavy Silver-Plated Spoons and Forks, plated especially for family use.

Also, fine Silver-Plated and Silver Mounted Waiters and Tea Sets. Just received, and for sale by.
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GEORGE E. GARDNER,
BOOKS AND STATIONERY,
Periodical and Newspaper Depot.
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MARIPOSA.

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HENRY G. WORTHINGTON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

Office in Fremont's Adobe Building, Corner of Charles and Fifth Streets, opposite Post Office, Mariposa, California. jy18tf

L. W. TALBOTT,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
MERCED COUNTY,
OFFICE AT SNELLING'S HOTEL.
Aug. 8, 1856. au8tf.

DR. H. J. PAINE,
DENTIST,

Of the firm of PAINE & BEERS, San Francisco, has the pleasure to announce to the citizens of Hornitas, Quartzburg, and vicinity, that he will attend to all calls in his profession. Having, during an extensive practice of seventeen years, made many improvements in the Dental Art, and assisted materially in bringing it to its present high state of perfection, he feels warranted in saying to all those wishing Dental Operations performed, or Artificial Teeth inserted on fine gold plate, that his work cannot be excelled in the United States.

Terms moderate. Consultations free.

☞ Office in Hornitas. m2-tf

JOSEPH BLEDSOE. G. L. WALTON.
BLEDSOE & WALTON,
Attorneys At Law,
.... AND ....
GENERAL COLLECTING AND LAND AGENTS,
CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS,

Will promptly and faithfully attend to all business entrusted to their care, particularly the collection of debts, locating of lands, perfecting land titles, paying taxes, buying and selling lands, &c. One of the firm will always be found at their office, No. 6, Bois d'Arc street.
Austin, Texas, Jan. 25, 1856. m2-tf

Dr. Edward H. Trescot,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
IS now prepared to attend to all calls in the Profession.
Office, corner of Sixth and Main street, Mariposa. aug8-tf.

Dr. A. J. Lasseter,
PHYSYCIAN AND SURGEON,
LOWER AGUA FRIO.

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Dr. L. will devote his assiduous attention to the examination and treatment of such cases and disorders as may be brought to his notice. Personal attendance will be given in any part of the county, on short notice, when required.

A new stock of Medicines, pure and fresh, just received.
Agua Frio, April 1st, 1856. ap4-tf

JACK. W. SMITH,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Under the Law of 1853.

☞ Strict attention will be promptly given to all business entrusted to him, connected with the legal profession, in all the Courts of the Fifth and Thirteenth Judicial Districts, and in the Supreme Court of the State.

☞ Office at Forlorn Hope, Merced County, Cal. m6-1y

J. S. WATTS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE FOR TOWNSHIP NO. 3.
Office on Main Street, Mariposa,
2 DOORS BELOW THE POST OFFICE.
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I. G. BOYCE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Will practice in the District and Supreme Court.
Office—second door in adobe building, corner Fifth and Main sts., just below the Post Office, Mariposa. July 12 1y

S. B. ALLISON. B. R. HARRIS
ALLISON & HARRIS,
Attorneys At Law,
Office on Main street, between 4th and 5th, Mariposa.
jy12 tf

R. H. DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. jy12-tf

ALEX. DEERING,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Mariposa. Jul 12 1y

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Under the law of 1853. Office on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. jy12-tf

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3.
Office in Mariposa. Jul. 12-1y

DOCT. JAS. L. CLARKE,
Office, "PINE TREE HOUSE," corner Fifth and Main Streets. ☜
Mariposa. Oct 27-1y

Dr. W. S. Kavanaugh,
OFFICE ON MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE DR. HUBBEL'S DAGUERREAN GALLERY,
MARIPOSA. July12-1y

R. E. HALL,
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Hornitas, Mariposa County. July12-1y

J. B. ISBAIL,
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Main Street, Mariposa.

Formerly of Philadelphia, Penn., is permanently located in Mariposa, having a comfortable and convenient Office, Next door to the Pacific Express, with all the necessary Instruments and appliances, will do any kind of work that pertains to the profession of Dentistry, in a manner which shall give entire satisfaction, or the money refunded.

Artificial Teeth inserted on Gold Plate, on Pivot, as the case may require. Teeth Plugged with pure gold, or Extracted. Childrens' Teeth regulated when necessary, and all diseases of the gums treated, the most of which are called Scurvey of the gums, cured or no pay.

Cloroform administered if desired. Terms reasonable. Examination free. Jy. 11th, 1856-